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SYMPHONY CONCERT

PROF. P. O. LANDON TO ARRANGE FOR MINNEAPOLIS ORCHESTRA.

HERE APRIL 16 AND 17

Backed By Commercial Club and Supported By Guarantors, Success Is Predicted.

Authorized by the Maryville Commercial Club, Prof. P. O. Landon, who is in Chicago on a business trip will make arrangements for the Minneapolis Symphony Orchestra to play in Maryville on April 16 and 17.

The orchestra will give a concert on the evening of April 16, a matinee concert on the afternoon of April 17 and an evening concert on the evening of April 17. It is probable that the concerts will be held in the Normal auditorium which is well fitted for music of such excellence.

Fifty-five instrumentalists and four soloists comprise the orchestra, which is supported by the citizens of Minneapolis and remains in that city for a greater part of the year. They are making a winter tour this year and are being received everywhere with the appreciation that they deserve. In all the large cities on the Western coast large crowds have heard them, and their tour through the Central states which begins sometime in March, will no doubt be as successful.

The matter of having a return engagement with the Minneapolis Symphony orchestra was broached a few weeks ago by Professor Landon at the weekly dinner at the Board of Directors of the Commercial Club. Professor Landon took the entire responsibility last year, but this year asked the Commercial Club to help him support the enterprise. His suggestion was immediately taken under consideration by the directors, and they agreed to see that financial backing was given the enterprise. E. M. Claypool visited the various business men who had acted as guarantors last year, and they unanimously agreed to lend their aid this year.

The Minneapolis orchestra, like the New York and the Boston Symphony orchestras, is considered one of the finest in the United States, and a monument to the public spirit of the residents of Minneapolis.

BUYS PLUMBING BUSINESS

Ryks Plumbing Co. Sold to Captain Tindall and James Smith This Morning.

E. W. Ryks sold his plumbing business this morning to W. A. Tindall and James Smith, who will take possession at once. Mr. Ryks announced that he would remain in Maryville for two or three weeks and at this time did not know where he would locate.

Mr. Tindall is an experienced plumber, having been in that business in Maryville for many years. James Smith has been in the employ of the Armstrong Foundry for several years.

Tarkio Defeated Central.

Central College of Fayette, which plays the Normal team here this evening was defeated by Tarkio College last night at Tarkio by a score of 31 to 28. Preceding the Central-Normal game, tonight a game will be played between the Hopkins Public school team and the Training school.

K. SPANGLER IS KILLED

Elmo Man Sustains Broken Neck in Fall From Hay Wagon—Details Are Not Known.

K. Spangler died at his home in Elmo last night at 9 o'clock as a result of an accident a few hours previous in which he sustained a broken neck. The particulars of the accident are not known. Mr. Spangler was found laying by the side of the hay wagon by C. J. Jennings, and it was thought that he had been there for probably an hour.

Mr. Spangler started out yesterday afternoon with a wagon to get a load of hay from the Marion Atherton farm, four miles southwest of Elmo. On his way back to town, it is thought the wagon went into a deep rut, throwing Mr. Spangler off and breaking his neck. He was unconscious when found by Jennings and continued in that state until his death.

Mr. Spangler was 65 years old and is survived by his wife and three children, Bert Spangler, who lives at Elmo; Mrs. C. W. Severs, who lives near Elmo; and Mrs. Ardella Morrow, who lives near Blanchard, Ia.

PLAN HOME-COMING

ARRANGEMENTS FOR RECEPTION OF BAND BOYS BEING MADE.

TO ARRIVE NEXT WEEK

City Will Be Decorated With Flags — Reception and Program to be Given in the Evening.

Plans are nearly completed for the home coming celebration which is to be held in honor of the boys of the Fourth Regiment band upon their arrival early next week.

The entertainment committee of the Commercial Club, H. L. Raines, Lawrence Schumacher and Ed Keck, met yesterday afternoon and decided on tentative plans for the affair. The Fourth Regiment left the border yesterday and it is probable that the band will be in Maryville about Monday or Tuesday of next week. If they arrive on the noon train from St. Joseph, they will be met at the train by a procession of automobiles containing all of the prominent citizens of Maryville.

The band will then be escorted up town to the Hotel Linville and the Hotel Bainum, where they will be the guests of the city. In the middle of the afternoon the out-of-town members of the band will be given an automobile ride around the city.

In the evening a reception, concert and program will be held, probably at the Empire Theatre. A nominal fee will be charged those desiring to attend and the proceeds of the evening will be presented to the boys as a gift from Maryville.

Every effort will be made to have this a patriotic demonstration as well as a home-coming for the boys. The city will be decorated with flags, and the business men will trim their store windows for the occasion. It is expected that residence owners will enter heartily into the spirit of the event and will decorate their homes with bunting and flags.

E. M. Claypool sent a telegram to Prof. T. B. Maulding this morning asking him to send word at once as soon as the time of leaving Fort Riley had been ascertained. In the meantime the plans will be perfected so that all will be in readiness for the reception any time after Sunday.

PROFESSORS BUSY

THE NORMAL TEACHERS ATTEND MANY COMMUNITY MEETINGS.

SERVICES ARE IN DEMAND

Lecturing at County Schools and of Judging Debates Occupy Spare Moments of All .

Few persons in Maryville realize the amount of outside work that is done by the teachers at the State Normal school. In addition to their regular duties at the Normal they spend many hours in the service of the county and the state, attending teachers' meetings, acting as judges for debates and giving lectures at country school houses. Some of the recent and immediate activities of the Normal faculty are listed below:

L. W. Greathouse spoke at three different township meetings in Daviess county last week—at Altamont Thursday; Pattonsburg, Friday; and Jamesport, Saturday.

Miss Carrie Hopkins spoke at a community meeting at Pattonsburg, Friday afternoon.

This week Dean G. H. Colbert will attend a conference on Rural Education at Lincoln, Nebr., Thursday and Friday. This meeting is called by P. P. Claxton, United States Commissioner of Education.

S. E. Davis will spend Thursday and Friday in Livingston county in two community meetings where the subject of consolidation is under consideration.

Dr. Harrington, Mr. Wilson, and Mr. Swinehart will judge a debate between Burlington Junction and Excelsior Springs High Schools at Burlington Junction Friday night.

Friday night, Mr. Belting, of the Agriculture Department, and Miss Nancy Gustin, student scholar in the Home Economics Department, will speak before a community meeting at Pickering.

Next week the Department of Superintendence of the National Educational association meets in Kansas City. Practically all of the faculty will attend this meeting, Thursday and Friday, the winter term of the Normal school closing Wednesday afternoon. Mr. Hawkins, as chairman of the executive committee of the State Teachers' association, will preside at a meeting of the executive committee the latter part of the week. The different members of the faculty are members of or interested in departments and allied meetings which are in session at the same time throughout the week.

President Richardson spoke at the community meeting to consider the question of centralization of school territory at Ravenwood Tuesday night before the school board convention of Nodaway county Wednesday morning, and will attend the National association of Normal School Presidents at Kansas City Friday and Saturday of this week and the meeting of the National Association of Teachers Colleges on Saturday. He will attend the meeting of the Department of Superintendence and other allied groups meeting in Kansas City during the next week. On Tuesday afternoon he is on the program of the National Federation of State Educational associations for the discussion of the topic, "A Survey of State Educational Associations." As president of the State Teachers association, he will attend the meeting of the executive committee of the State Teachers Association and a joint meeting of the Reading Circle Board and Executive committee of the State Teachers association the latter part of the week, and will also meet the members of the Resolutions committee of the State Teachers association in a preliminary meeting which will be held during the educational meetings at Kansas City. The appointment of this committee is one of the duties of the president of the State Teachers association.

Dry Bill Passed Senate.

Topeka, Kan., Feb. 21.—Kansas Bone Dry bill passed the senate and now only requires the governor's signature.

EVERY DEPARTMENT

In our Day work or Night sessions is offering a big inducement to students enrolling on or before March First. For particulars, see manager at office.

Maryville Business College

MRS. BIRDSELL DIES

Ravenwood Woman Passes Away at Hospital in St. Joseph — The Funeral Tomorrow.

Mrs. Charley Birdsell, 57 years old died yesterday at a hospital in St. Joseph, where she has been taking treatment. The body will arrive in Ravenwood today and funeral services will be held at 11 o'clock tomorrow morning at the Monroe church near Ravenwood. Burial will be in the Monroe cemetery. Mrs. Birdsell is survived by four children Carl Birdsell of near Ravenwood, with whom she made her home, Glen Birdsell and Mrs. Susie Yeary both of near Ravenwood and Mrs. Lois Herned, of Prescott, Kan.

WILL ASK FOR POWER.

President Wilson Will Request Authority to Act In Emergency Cases.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, Feb. 21.—President Wilson has definitely decided to go before Congress next week to ask for power to employ whatever agencies are necessary in any emergency that might arise after the adjournment of that body This was learned in high official circles today although no formal announcement of his intention was made.

250 AT THE MEETING

PRES.'S AND SEC'YS. OF COUNTY SCHOOL BOARDS CONVENE.

SUPT. COOPER, CHAIRMAN

Carl Wray Acts As Secretary of Sessions — Prominent Educators Were Speakers.

About 250 presidents and secretaries of the various school boards of Nodaway county are attending the convention being held at the court house today. The morning program began at 9:30 o'clock with an invocation by the Rev. Gilbert S. Cox. Supt. Bert Cooper then took his place as chairman of the meeting and Carl Wray of Guilford was elected secretary of the convention.

Mr. Wray immediately protested that in these patriotic days no business could be done without the presence of the American flag. D. E. Hotchkin volunteered to furnish some and they were placed in position around the circuit court room.

O. G. Null of Pickering in his address on "Advantages of a Normal Building Fund Each Year for Repairs," emphasized the fact that "A stitch in time saves nine" that repairs each year are better than run down equipment and more economical.

He argued that the moral effort on teachers, parents and pupils was worth many times the cost of care of equipment. A discussion by W. B. Torrance, William Oakerson and M. C. Noland followed.

Dr. Ed Miller of Hopkins told the audience that the best way to get service from a teacher was first to get the right teacher, then to get equipment for the building and lastly to procure loyalty from the school board.

President Ira Richardson of the State Normal School was next. He urged the proper selection of teachers as necessary to the progress of teaching. He compared and contrasted the old and new times in schools and in demands on teachers.

Doctor L. E. Dean emphasized the necessity of pure drinking water in the schools. He told the audience that hard water was not good for the body, and urged that the water supply come from a covered well.

The report of the committee on Taxation and Tuition made by H. W. Hull of Elm Grove school closed the morning session.

The afternoon session was opened by the children of Garfield school, who, under the direction of Misses Denny, Hazelrigg and Cook gave a series of songs, which were well done.

These were followed by talks by W. M. Oakerson of Jefferson City; Supt. J. M. McDonald and Prof. G. H. Colbert. The afternoon session will close about 6 o'clock this evening.

WOULD NOT FIGHT BROTHERS.

German Fearing He Will Have to Join U. S. Army, Takes Poison.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Halstead, Kan., Feb. 21.—Believing that he would have to go with the United States army and fight two brothers in the German army, Herman Ditman, wealthy German farmer, took poison and died.

INTEREST GROWING

COUNTRY PEOPLE WOULD STUDY HOME BEAUTIFICATION.

WILL HELP THEM, TOO

Professors Belting and Leeson Will Advise All — Care of Trees A Necessity.

The question of city beautification is rapidly gaining supporters in Maryville. But this is not all. Country people are also considering the matter and are apt to make the matter of broader significance by starting a movement to beautify their country homes.

Numerous calls have come from counrty people regarding the lecture to be given by H. F. Major, landscape architect of the University of Missouri. They wish to know if they may come to hear about beautifying the home grounds. The answer has been a cordial invitation to be present at the lecture and to attend any of the subsequent lectures that are given. Professor C. H. Belting and Professor C. Leeson will also serve as far as possible and will give advice to all of the country home owners who desire it. If plans of the grounds are sent they will give instructions on the artistic planting of trees and shrubs.

Professor C. H. Belting has the following advice to give to those who are contemplating the planting of trees and shrubs this spring. He also tells how to care for trees and especially how to prune them.

Pruning of Shade Trees.

It is no longer questioned that properly pruned, thrifty shade trees greatly enhance the beauty of city premises. Pruning should begin when a tree is first set out and continue yearly thereafter. The initial pruning is done to establish an equilibrium between the roots and branches and to shape the head. The later attention is for the purpose of removing dead limbs and branches which interfere or need restraint. Each tree is an individual problem and general rules for pruning will apply only when a liberal amount of judgment is used.

Pruning may be done any time, but the best seasons are the late fall, late winter and early spring. Fall pruning in this locality is not so desirable as the spring trimming, because there is a harmful loss of moisture from the wounds during the cold dry period when the trees are dormant. Don't use an ax on a tree except to cut it down. An ax leaves a rough injured area which may never heal over. An extension pruning hook may be used for the ends of small lateral and terminal branches. A common saw may be used with good results but a regular pruning saw with an adjustable blade is the handier tool in close quarters.

In removing large limbs cut partly through from the under side, about a foot from the trunk, then on the upper side, about an inch or two closer to the trunk, cut through until the limb falls. Cutting in this manner prevents the falling bough from tearing off a strip of bark in it's descent. Then saw off the spur perpendicularly to the trunk as close as possible. A rough projecting spur will never heal over entirely. The snag soon rots off and decay extends into the heartwood. A smooth wound five inches in diameter, under most favorable conditions, will become covered with a new growth of bark within five years. A protective, antiseptic dressing of common oil paint, creosote, or coal tar will prevent drying out, and will exclude water, funguous growths, and insects, while nature is healing the injury.

Dead or unsound limbs should always be trimmed out, for they are dangerous to passersby during windstorms or when covered with ice and snow. An unsound tree had better be removed entirely if it furnishes little shade. A few unsound trees, especially if they are valuable, may have their lives lenghtened by chiseling out the decayed portions of the trunks and filling their cavities with a soft concrete mixture.

Severe heading in or "dehorning" of mature trees is not practicable. The wounds are usually too large and ragged to heal. Borers soon infest the mutilated unsightly stumps, destroying the tree in its weakened condition.

T. B. Groves of Wray, Colo., is spending a few days in Maryville visiting his sister, Mrs. John Snapp and other relatives.

WOMEN APPEAL TO WILSON

Housewives of America Ask President to Use His Influence to Relieve Starving Women in N. Y.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

New York, Feb. 21—Aroused by food riots and describing the food situation as "chaotic," the Housewives of America have appealed to the President for relief. In an urgent telegram Mrs Julian Heath, president of the National Housewives' League called upon the President to "use his great influence to alleviate the situation."

Riots Still in Order.

New York, Feb. 21.—Sporadic uprisings against the food prices have kept the police busy today in the East side tenement districts.

May Repeat Bread Riots.

New York, Feb. 21.—Threatening repetition of the Paris bread riots, hundreds of women began gathering around the city hall this afternoon for a second demonstration within two days. Sweet Marie Gantz, the leader, is urging the drive.

ARE SNOWED UNDER

1,469 BILLS AWAITING ACTION OF THE STATE ASSEMBLY.

AND MORE ARE COMING

Leaders in Senate and House Will Appoint a Steering Committee to Select Measures for Passage.

New Auto License Bill

Jefferson City, Feb. 21—The House engrossed the new automobile license bill. If it becomes a law it will raise a million and two hundred thousand dollars a year for good roads.

Jefferson City, Feb. 21.—The congested condition of the calendar of bills in the Forty-ninth General Assembly has at last caused the leaders in the Senate and House to start laying plans for the establishment of a joint steering committee upon which will descend the labor of picking out for passage at this session the most important of the 1,469 bills and amendments now awaiting action.

Senator John F. Morton, majority leader in the Upper House, and Representatives Frank H. Farris, Democratic House leader will select the personnel of the Steering committee.

Senator Morton has given no hint as to when the committee might be named. While it is expected to favor the administration bills, the selection of Senate members to serve on the joint body will be watched with keen interest. Senator Morton reiterated his declaration that he intended calling up immediately the administration measures on the Senate calendar.

The flow of new bills into the House continues, despite the fact that their authors, at this late date, have little hope of their passage. Under the rules of the House, bills may be introduced up to within fifteen days of the end of the session, and members are not hesitating in taking full advantage of their privileges.

In the Senate there are 91 bills on the calendar for third reading and nine House bills. The engrossment calendar contains 190 measures. Of the ten House measures received by the Upper body only the Farris saloon tax bill has been considered.

In the House 119 bills are pending for final consideration and 268 measures on the calendar for engrossment. Not a single Senate bill has been put on third reading.

It was pointed out that the wet and dry issue has, in a large measure, clogged the legislative machinery.

Confirms Gardner's Strength.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Jefferson City, Feb. 21.—Gov. Gardner's strength in the Senate was proven this afternoon when his appointments of the St. Joseph police commissioners were confirmed by a vote of 21 to 9.

COULDN'T REVIVE COLUMBIAN TREATY

PRESIDENT'S EFFORTS FAIL BECAUSE REPUBLICANS OBJECT.

WAS STEP TOWARD MAKING CANAL SAFE

Will Not Be Brought Up Again At This Session — Austria Considers The U. S. Note.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, Feb. 21.—President Wilson's efforts to revive the Columbian treaty as a step towards guaranteeing the safety of the Panama canal in case of war with Germany, failed today, when Republican members of the Senate Foreign Relations committee declined to withdraw their opposition to the convention. No further attempt to ratify the treaty will be made at this session, it was stated.

That Turkey will not waver in carrying out Germany's submarine policy as outlined by Germany was contained in a cablegram from Ambassador Elkus from Constantinople.

Austria Considers U. S. Note.

Berlin, Feb. 21.—Official announcement was made today through the Overseas News that the United States submarine inquiry to Austria "as actually under careful examination and will answer when this is completed."

Moderate Fighting Activity.

Berlin, Feb. 21.—In spite of rain and fog there has been moderate fighting activity at a number of points on the Western front. French guns are pounding newly won grounds south of Ripont, the war office announced.

Italian Transport Sinks.

Berlin, Feb. 21.—A crowded Italian transport has been sunk in the Mediterranean Sea by a submarine, according to an announcement made today by the Overseas News Agency. In addition to the transport, two armed steamers bearing important cargoes to Saloniki, were destroyed. There was no mention of loss of life.

Seven Ships Arrive.

New York, Feb. 21.—Seven ships, three of which came from the barred zone, arrived here today. The crews of the American liners, St. Louis and St. Paul have been paid off and there is every indication that those ships will be held in port indefinitely.

ANNOUNCES ENGAGEMENT.

Nona McAdoo, Daughter of Secretary to Marry Russian Secretary.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, Feb. 21.—Secretary McAdoo this afternoon announced the engagement of his daughter, Nona Hazel Hurst McAdoo, to Ferdinand Demohrenschildt, second secretary to the Imperial Russian Embassy in Washington

General Pershing Appointed.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, Feb. 21.—General Pershing today appointed to succeed General Funston, the war department announced.

TO MEET KING ALFONSO.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Madrid, Feb. 21.—Ambassador Gerard will have an audience with King Alfonso before his departure from Europe, according to a well-founded report. A great crowd gathered at the railway station to greet Gerard.

KILLED IN TRAIN WRECK.

Berlin, Feb. 21.—Five hundred persons, mainly Rumanian refugees, were killed and about 1500 were injured in a train wreck near Chirurcha in northern Rumania, says the Overseas News Agency today.

THE WEATHER.

Partly cloudy tonight and Tuesday; colder, cold wave north portion; fresh shifting winds.

Fern Theatre, Tonight

Charlie Chaplin
in the "PAWNSHOP"

One of his funniest pictures—It's a scream from the Title to the end. Also a three reel drama, **"THE CHEATERS"** and a one reel Nester Comedy.

ALL FOR 10c and 15c

THURSDAY—TOMORROW AFTERNOON, AT 2:30 P. M. AND NIGHT 7 P. M., we will show the most wonderful and complete 12-reel picture produced, featuring WM. FARNUM and KATHLYN WILLIAMS, in "THE SPOILERS." See synopsis of this on another page.

15c and 25c

BASKET BALL—

Central College *vs.* Maryville State Normal
Game Called 8:15 p. m.

Hopkins Public Schools vs. Training School
7th and 8th grades

Tonight Normal Gymnasium

Another "Thriller" Like The William Jewell Game

DON'T FUSS WITH MUSTARD PLASTERS!

Musterole Works Easier, Quicker and Without the Blister

There's no sense in mixing a mess of mustard, flour and water when you can easily relieve pain, soreness or stiffness with a little clean, white Musterole.

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MUSTEROLE
WILL NOT BLISTER

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

NORMAL NOTES.
(By Ross McReynolds).

The Gentry county club gave a program before the student body at assembly yesterday. This is the first program that any of the various clubs have put on before the school and was heartily enjoyed by all, especially Wade Henderson's encore, in which he rocked the colored doll. The program was: Reading, "Woman's Rights," Florine Allen; vocal solo, "The Perfect Day," Wade Henderson; reading, "The Polish Boy," Claudine Woolen; piano solo, Merle Levy.

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The Y. W. C. A. gave a short program this morning.

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The temporary programs for next quarter are posted and the students are eagerly scanning them to discover their conflicts.

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The following programs will be given tomorrow:

Eurekan—Vocal solo, Eugene Bird; reading, Claudine Woolen; current events, Ernest Breit; vocal duet, Brownye Helpley and Birdie Ozenberger.

Excelsior—Music, Golda LaMar; "Life of Washington," M. F. Hurst; "What Washington Did," Leslie Elam; reading, William O. DeVore and two extemporaneous talks by members of the society.

Philomathean—Piccolo solo, George Wamsley; essay, "The Greatness of Little Things," Warren Breit; extemporaneous speeches on "When a Feller Needs a Friend," by members of the society; "Side Lights on Current Events," Mary West.

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The El Primero dramatic society gave a Riley program this afternoon. It was: "Riley and the dramatic monologue," Merle Levy; readings, "Down to the Capital," Bruce Wilkerson; child poem, Kahla Bennick; Griggsby's Station," Elizabeth Sobbing; "Nothin' to Say," Eugene Bird.

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The tournament teams are battling for supremacy. Last night the team composed of Lyle (Capt.), Gannon, Clam, E. Bird and Todd, won from the team composed of Hubbard (Capt.), Peter, Hix, Gray and C. Sawyers, by a score of 23 to 5. The team composed of Ferguson (Capt.), Halasey, Siddons, Hanna and Strader, won from Laughlin (Capt.), Brown, Pugh, Nichols and Wilson, by the close score of 23 to 21.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Fern, Tomorrow
Matinee 2:30
Night 7:00

'The Spoilers'

With a Stellar Cast Including
William Farnum and Kathlyn Williams

Rex Beech's Thrilling Tale of the Alaskan Gold Field

GLENISTER and DEXTRY, co-owners of the "Midas," the richest mine in Alaska, after celebrating their good fortune, leave Nome to spend the winter in the "States," but before leaving Glenister arrives at an understanding with and bids bood-bye to Cherry Malotte, a dance-hall girl, who has become interested in him. Before their return to Alaska in the following Spring, a plot is hatched in Washington, D. C., to juggle the Alaskan land laws in such a manner as to rob all the rich miners of their property, and to that end, a corrupt judge is appointed with instructions to obey the orders of Alex. McNamara, the genius of the entire conspiracy.

The judge is dispatched to Nome at once, but on the eve of sailing from Seattle he is taken ill and is forced to entrust certain documents to his niece, Helen Chester, who thus becomes the innocent agent of the conspirators. Helen sails but enroute to Nome smallpox breaks out on the ship and she is threatened with thirty days' quarantine. She manages to escape, with the assistance of Glenister and Dextry, who have taken passage on another ship. The two men are ignorant of the nature of Helen's errand, and gallantly fight and defeat her pursuers then smuggle her on board their own ship and protect her until she arrives at Nome, where she delivers to Struve, McNamara's agent, the secret papers entrusted to her. Glenister, who has fallen in love with the girl, saves her life in a street brawl at the risk of his own, then secures living quarters for her with the wife of his mine superintendent.

In due time Judge Stillman and McNamara arrive in Nome, and with the help of Struve's rascally firm begin their machinations. The new faction shortly assumes control of all the mines, including the "Midas," and Glenister, because of his love for Helen, prevents the miners from using violence against Judge Stillman and prevails upon them to let the law take its course. Cherry Malotte, the beautiful dance-hall girl, returns from Dawson City, discovers Glenister's love for Helen and determines to combat it. In this she is assisted by the Broncho Kid, a gambler and an outcast, who has recognized in Helen Chester his own sister, whom he has not seen since boyhood, and who misinterprets Glenister's feelings for Helen. Glenister and Dextry find that the Nome court will grant them no relief and decide to send their lawyer, Bill Wheaton, back to San Francisco with an appeal to the federal courts. To secure money for this purpose, they arrange to rob the sluices of their own mine, which they succeed in doing, but are saved from capture by Helen, who recognizes Glenister in time to send McNamara's men on a false trail. Later the Broncho Kid suspects Glenister of the robbery and advises McNamara to search his cabin before there is time to conceal the gold; but Cherry learns of the plan and with her quick wit foils McNamara's effort.

Wheaton returns from San Francisco with a writ from the federal court, which Stillman refuses to recognize, thus making plain the nature of the conspiracy. Becoming fearful of outright violence, McNamara undertakes to remove the gold dust taken from the "Midas," and other mines to a place of greater safety, but Glenister and his friends storm the bank and are prevented from taking forcible possession of the gold only by the timely arrival of troops summoned from a near-by post. For a second time Wheaton is dispatched to the "States" for aid from the superior courts.

Meanwhile Glenister becomes convinced that Helen has been a conscious accomplice of "The Spoilers" and intends to marry McNamara, so in a restless mood he spends a desperate night in the Northern gambling hall, playing faro. The Broncho Kid, who is dealer, plots to ruin Glenister with the assistance of Sherry as "case-keeper." At the crisis of the game, when his money is gone, Glenister wagers his interest in the "Midas" and is prevented from losing only by Cherry's declaration that "the cases are wrong."

Cherry saves Helen from a drunken miner, and learning her identity prompts her to suspect the truth of the situation in which her uncle figures. Realizing the great wrong that she has helped to do, Helen undertakes to remedy it, and overhearing the judge and McNamara arranging for Glenister's immediate arrest, she finds him and enables him to escape with a posse at his heels. With the aid of Cherry Malotte, Glenister makes good his flight, summons his friends and decides to make an end of the looting of the mines by destroying them with dynamite, thus checking McNamara's activities until Wheaton can invoke further aid from the federal courts.

Wrapped in a woof of mystery and uncertainty, Helen appeals to McNamara's accomplice, Struve, who offers to put her in possession of the truth if she will go with him that night to a distant roadhouse for supper. Conscious of her peril, Helen agrees.

The miners, under Glenister's leadership, dynamite the "Midas" and defeat their enemies in an exciting battle, in the midst of which Glenister hears of Helen's danger and rides headlong to her rescue. He arrives to find Struve badly wounded and to hear that Helen has gone away with the Broncho Kid. Heedless now of all save Helen's safety, Glenister rides into town and there encounters McNamara at Struve's office, where the latter has gone to destroy the documentary evidence of the conspiracy. The two men fight a terrific hand-to-hand battle, in which Glenister triumphs.

Wheaton arrives in time to effect the arrest of the conspirators, on instructions from the federal court, and Helen produces the proofs of guilt which she had secured from Struve. Justice is done and Helen confesses her love for the man she had helped to wrong.

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FOR ASSESSOR.

We are authorized to announce the candidacy of Henry M. Souers for assessor of Polk township, subject to the action of the Democratic convention.

FOR ASSESSOR.

We are authorized to announce the candidacy of L. L. Holbrook for assessor of Polk township, subject to the action of the Republican convention.

FOR COLLECTOR.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for collector for Polk Township, subject to the decision of the Republican township convention.

C. L. GANN.

FOR COLLECTOR.

We are authorized to announce the candidacy of B. M. Chandler for Collector for Polk township, subject to the decision of the Democratic convention.

FOR TOWNSHIP TRUSTEE.

We are authorized to announce the candidacy of John Halasey for township trustee for Polk township, subject to the decision of the Democrati convention.

Flour! Flour! Flour!

Car on Burlington Track

FLOUR WENT UP 20c a barrel today, but for this week we will sell—

Gilt Edge
$4.40 per cwt.

Gold Leaf
$4.30 per cwt.

We also sell Shorts, Bran, Oil Meal, Cotton Seed, Hen Feed, Chick Feed, Tankage and Grain. We make the best and cleanest Corn Meal on the market.

BRING US YOUR GRIST

Maryville Feed & Milling Company

Far. 230; Han. 110. Across From Christian Church.

Have You Seen Our
EYE GLASS FRAMES
With Semi-Invisible Rims?

The New Style
Eye Glass which combines beauty and protection to the lenses.

These small metal rims are nearly invisible and give the same protection as the larger ones

Let our Optician show them to you.

THE HOLMES
Jewelry Company
MARYVILLE, MO.
WEST SIDE SQUARE

Our
Mr. Harvey L. Haines

Has just returned from New York City, the world's greatest dry goods market, where with his two brothers, bought large quantities of the newest merchandise for the three Haines Stores. The new things have begun to arrive and from now on every express train will bring Something New.

We invite you to visit our store and see the greatest display of New Spring Goods ever displayed in Nodaway Co.

Haines

The Store That Is Anxious to Please You.

Delegates to Peace League.

Judge William Blackford and Prosecuting Attorney Sawyers have been appointed by Governor Gardner as delegates to the Convention of the League to Enforce Peace, which will be in session tomorrow at Jefferson City.

To Speak at Lincoln.

W. M. Oakerson who is in attendance at the County School Board convention here today will go to Lincoln, Nebr., where he is on the program for an address before the National Rural Life Conference.

Tomato futures in Platte County went up $1 a ton last week when the Dearborn canning factory raised their contract price to $10 a ton.

Here From North Dakota.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Ellis of Starkweather, N. D., arrived in Maryville this week and will be guests at the home of Mrs. Ellis' parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Gray for two weeks. Mrs. Ellis spent a few weeks in Maryville last summer visiting her parents.

Marriage License Issued.

A marriage license was issued today by Recorder Baker to Grover Cleveland Nelson and Ruth Anna Manship of Guilford.

Mrs. H. A. Shrock of Fort Morgan, Colo., and Miss Nannie Pride left today for Rochester, where Mrs. Shrock will take treatment at the Mayo Bros.' hospital.

GIRLS WIN IN DEBATE.

Say That Fashion Habit Is not More Harmful Than Tobacco Habit.

The Lafayette School Debating Society held its regular session at the school house near Guilford Friday night. The question was: Resolved: That the Fashion Habit is More Harmful Than the Tobacco Habit. Boys debated on the affirmative and girls on the negative sides. The girls won.

BUY WALL PAPER
FROM
Arnett Decorating Company
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Empire Theatre, Thursday Night, February 22nd

Harlton Powell's Tuneful, Tingling, Musical Comedy Sensation

"This Is The Life"

With Wm. C. Cushman and a Gorgeously Dressed Chorus of
DAINTY DANCING, PRANCING, BEWITCHING, BEAUTIFUL MISSES

Carload Elaborate Scenery—A Tornado of Merriment Tempered with Entrancing Music
AND SPRINKLED WITH PRETTY GIRLS

Prices: 35, 50, 75, $1.00 **Seats on sale at Reuillard's**

Starting On The Road To Health

with nature's remedy—S. S. S. It gives vitality to impoverished blood, making it easier to resist the germs of disease, and strength to drive out disease if it gets a foothold in your system. If you get sick you have a better chance for recovery if your blood is pure than if it is run down. It is important to keep your blood pure at all seasons.

If you are suffering with Rheumatism or Catarrh, or Eczema, or Malaria, or Skin Eruptions, take them as evidences of disordered blood and get a vegetable blood purifier to drive out the impurities. S. S. S. is guaranteed purely vegetable, and is especially recommended as a blood purifier and general tonic.

Get S. S. S. at any drug store. Don't accept a substitute.

Write for booklet on blood disorders, also Medical Advice, which is furnished without charge. Address:

Medical Dept. 16, SWIFT SPECIFIC CO.
ATLANTA, GA.

Makes $4,000 On Sale.

The sale conducted at the farm of L. F. Collins, one-fourth mile east of Guilford, was largely attended, and $4,000 was realized from the disposal of the goods. Mr. Collins leaves soon for the west where he will remain indefinitely. He intends to take up government land.

FOR CONSTIPATION

you won't find a finer relief than that afforded by SAN-TOX Fig Cascara (tablets). That's because it's a Nature Laxative—based on the natural laxative properties of Figs. Get a box today. Price 10c and 25c.

San-Tox

SOLD BY
PEARSON'S PHARMACY.

Mixed Nuts

Come in and see the assortment of mixed nuts we are selling for

10c per pound

D. E. Hotchkin
111 W. 3rd St. Maryville, Mo.

BURIED AT GUILFORD

Mrs. Gladys Marquis Dies At New Home in Detroit.

Mrs. Gladys Marquis, daughter of Mrs. J. W. Gore of St. Joseph was buried in the Guilford cemetery yesterday. Short funeral services were held at the grave conducted by the Rev. O. E. Lockart.

Mrs. Marquis who died at her home in Detroit Sunday after short illness, formerly lived at Guilford. She is survived by her husband and two sons.

Dr. W. W. Turner
Osteopathic Physician
Treatment of acute and chronic Diseases.
Office over Alderman-Yehle Store
BOTH PHONES

Just Received a Spring Shipment of WALL PAPER
Arnett Decorating Co.
Take Advantage of the Low Prices Now

OPEN YOUR SAVINGS ACCOUNT NOW

4% ON SAVINGS DEPOSITS

Lay the foundation of your fortune by opening a savings account today. Deposits of one dollar and upwards received in our savings department.

INTEREST PAID TWICE A YEAR
OLDEST BANK IN THE COUNTY

NODAWAY VALLEY BANK
A BANK OF SAVINGS MARYVILLE, MO

A New Poultry House
Located 416 North Main, Half Block South of Post Office
The highest market paid in cash for Poultry, Eggs, Cream and Hides.
Special Attention Given to Cream Testing
Phones: HANAMO 162 FARMERS 70-11
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QUEEN Incubators

First Class in Every Particular

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Self-Balancing Separators
Always Good

CALL AT

Hudson & Welch's

and Let Us Demonstrate Their Good Qualities.

SOCIETY & CLUBLAND

By MISS NELLE FITZGERALD
Hanamo phone 42. Farmers phone 114

Alert Rebekahs to Meet.

The Alert Rebekah lodge will meet tomorrow night at the Odd Fellows hall at 7:30. All members and families are invited to be present as a social and entertainment will be given.

Forty-Five Couples At Costume Dance.

About forty-five couples attended the costume dance given in the Knights of Columbus hall by Mrs. Will Foster. The hall was prettily decorated and several of the guests were costumed. Refreshments were served at the New York Candy Kitchen.

Mrs. Thomas, Hostess

Mrs. D. J. Thomas was hostess to the Tuesday afternoon Bridge Club yesterday at her home on North Main street. One guest, Miss Dorothy Pierce was present. Mrs. George Baker won high score. Dainty refreshments were served by the hostess.

Mission Circle Picnic Supper.

Members of the Mission Circle of the Christian church entertained with a picnic supper last night at the church parlors, in honor of their husbands and families. About twenty-five guests were entertained. Dainty refreshments were served in cafeteria style. Various games were played during the evening.

Mary Lawrence Circle Meets.

The Mary Lawrence Circle met last night at the home of Mr .and Mrs. W. B. Porter, with Misses Bessie and Hazel Porter as hostesses. Miss Opal Key was the leader for the evening. The study of Mexico was continued and those who read papers were as follows, Misses Virginia Rose, Cora Price, Bessie Porter and Mrs. Edward Gray. Miss Marie Reuillard gave a piano solo. After the study hour dainty refreshments were served by the hostesses. About fifteen members and two visitors, Mrs. J. F. Roelofson and Miss Ada Hawkins were present.

Tourist Department Meets With Mrs. Colbert.

The Tourist Department of the Twentieth Century Club met yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. G. H. Colbert. The afternoon's lesson was on the regular study of Russia, and the following program was given: "Characteristics of Paul 1" by Miss Lucie Davis; Mrs. W. A. Rickenbrode gave a sketch on the "Effects of Napoleon's Wars on Russia." The March to the Grand Armee to Moscow, (Tolstoy) was given by Mrs. J. C. Allender and Mrs. John Gray gave a talk on the life of Alexander 1 from 1820 to 1825. Small maps of Russia were distributed to the members and it was decided that the Club should continue the study of Russia for the coming year. About twenty members were present. Two visitors, Mrs. Coile and Mrs. C. H. Belting were also present.

Miss Miller Hostess.

Miss Nettie Miller entertained at her home near Bolckow Friday evening with a card party after which a slumber party for the girls followed. Candy and dainty refreshments were served by the hostess. Miss Nettie Miller and Frank Ryther won the honor of being champion card players. Mr. Miller and family will soon move from the neighborhood and as the guests departed they wished them a host of friends in their new home. Those present were: Misses Edna Miller, Edith Ryther, Belle Hutchison, Della Jackson, Melissa Jackson, Messrs Frank Ryther, Carl Davis, Charles Collins and Ray Roach.

Celebrate 21st Anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. S. K. Chappell assisted by Mrs. George Davis entertained at 12 o'clock dinner Sunday in honor of the twenty-first birthday anniversaries of Leon and Leona Chappell. Covers were laid for Mr. and Mrs. S. K. Chappell, Mr. and Mrs. George Chappell and children, Georgia Marie and Mary Rose Chappell, Leon D. Chappell, Mrs. Letty Buyler. In the afternoon music was furnished on the graphaphone by Leon Chappell. Late in the afternoon all departed for their homes wishing the young people many more happy birthdays.

Hostesses to Westminster Guild.

Misses Dessa Gault,, Betty Ridman and Florence Sage were hostesses to the Westminster Guild which met last night at the Gault home on West Second street. During the business session the new officers were installed and were as follows: President, Miss Kate Schenck; vice president, Miss Lois Farmer; treasurer, Miss Nora Ritze, and secretary Miss Ethel Woods. Delicious refreshments were served by the hostesses. Twenty members and several visitors were present. The visitors were: Dr. and Mrs. S. A. Coile, Mrs. Sam McClurg, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stephenson and daughter, Thelma, and Mrs. Oscar Etchison.

Mrs. Moore Entertains M. I. Circle.

Mrs. George Moore was hostess to the M. I. Circle which met yesterday afternoon at her home on South Main street. This meeting of the Circle was one of the most interesting that has ever been held and was well attended. Devotions were led by Mrs. James Ray and roll call was answered by quotations from various poets. Following roll call all present sang "Our M. I. C." which was composed by Mrs. Gallatin Craig, a former member of the Circle.

The most interesting part of the afternoon's program was a play given by the members, "Madame Princeton's Beauty Parlors." The cast of characters was as follows: Mrs. Vada Halley was the fat woman, who was being reduced, Mrs. Charles McNeal was Madame Princeton,Mrs. Charley Stilwell was Dicky Bird, a young flirt, Mrs. J. E. Melvin was Susan, teh attendant, Mrs. George Moore was Miss Willinger who was having her wrinkles removed, and "last but not least" Mrs. S. E. Farmer was reporter for the Democrat-Forum. Following the play, Mrs. H. L. Raines sang a couple of solos and Miss Dorothy McDonald gave several musical numbers on the piano.

Following the program dainty refreshments were served by the hostess assisted by Mrs. Vada Halley. Mrs. J. E. Melvin, Mrs. Charles McNeal and Miss Edna Moore. Besides the members present a number of guests enjoyed the afternoon's entertainment. The guests present were: Mrs. Gallatin Craig, Mrs. O. L. Holmes, Mrs. James Goff, Mrs. Harry Mutz, Mrs. Mary Lambert, Mrs. Pennington, Mrs. J. A. Spiers, Mrs. H. L. Raines, Mrs. C. C. Leeson, Mrs. Booth, Mrs. H. E. Wright, Mrs. J. B. Robinson, Mrs. Andy Hawkins, Mrs. L. E. Crossan and Mrs. Mary Hook.

Breakfast Party.

A six o'clock breakfast party was given this morning at the Edwards' cafe as a farewell for Misses Grace Miller and Nellie Lindsay. The hostesses were. Susie Shisler, Claudine Woolen, Freida Shaffer, Blanche Sweat, Vestena Sweat, and Kohla Bennick.

H. K. G. Meets.

The women of the H. K. G. club were entertained by their husbands, Tuesday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Noakes, who will soon move to Hopkins. Refreshments were brought and served by the men and after supper peanuts and candy were enjoyed by all. "42" and various other games were played.

Will Hantzel and Mrs. Lewis Pistole received the prize for making the quickest trip to California, making the roundtrip in thirty-five seconds. Mrs. Noakes was presented with a berry spoon which the men paid for. All spent an enjoyable evening, but expressed their regret at losing Mr. and Mrs. Noakes from the community. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Bloomfield, Mr. and Mrs. Iva Kelley Mr. and Mrs. Corney Leech, Mrs. Sam Leech, Mr. and Mrs. John Green, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Leet, Mr. and Mrs. Will Hentzel, Mr. and Mrs. Will Shelman, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Wray, Mr. and Mrs. Lon Leech, Mr. and Mrs. Charley Killam, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Killam, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Pistole, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Florea, Mr. and Mrs. Charley Florea, Clarence Gonser Irvin Shelman Gene Florea, Dennis Leech. Leonard Leech, Harold Leech, Orvil and Orlen Kelley, Nora and Olivia Bloomfield, Thelma Green, Addie Killam, Mary Leech, Kate Curry, Clayton Speer, A. E. Aldrige, Alva and Forest Lett, Leta, Lottie and Harold Hantzel.

BAD BREATH

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets Get at the Cause and Remove It

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets, the substitute for calomel, act gently on the bowels and positively do the work.

People afflicted with bad breath find quick relief through Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets. The pleasant, sugar-coated tablets are taken for bad breath by all who know them.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets act gently but firmly on the bowels and liver, stimulating them to natural action, clearing the blood and gently purifying the entire system. They do that which dangerous calomel does without any of the bad after effects.

All the benefits of nasty, sickening, griping cathartics are derived from Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets without griping, pain or any disagreeable effects.

Dr. F. M. Edwards discovered the formula after seventeen years of practice among patients afflicted with bowel and liver complaint with the attendant bad breath.

Dr. Edwards' Olive Tablets are purely a vegetable compound mixed with olive oil; you will know them by their olive color. Take one or two every night for a week and note the effect. 10c and 25c per box. All druggists.

Alderman-Yehle Dry Goods Co.
WEST THIRD STREET, MARYVILLE, MO.

Copyright Books

Three for $1.00

WE have a large number of popular copyright Books that we are placing on sale at special bargain prices. Some of these are titles that have been successfully dramatized and are very facinating stories. The assortment comprises the titles that we are discontinuing, therefore we are placing them on sale at prices that are sure to move them quickly.

If you are a lover of good books you will not let this opportunity pass without making some selections for the Spring and Summer reading.

Here are a few of the many titles included in this sale:

Breakers Ahead.
The Flaming Sword.
The Scarlet Empire.
Maggie Pepper.
Heartbreak Hill.
The Master Christian.
Prisoners of Chance.
The Pioneer.
Breakspeare.
The Fighting Bishop.
The Social Secretary.
Four Roads to Paradise.
The Amateur Cracksman.
By Right of Purchase.
The Phantom of the Opera.
The White Sister.
The Garden of Fate.
A Gentleman of France.
The Redemption of Kenneth Galt.
Peggy at Spinster Farm.
Penelope's Progress.
And many other good titles.

These are now being offered at 35c or Three for One Dollar

We also have one lot of discontinued titles in interesting books that we wish to close out quickly and will offer them during this special book sale, at each..... **10c**

White Sale

The Big White Sale, in which the very newest creations in White Goods are offered at a reduction, began this morning. In this sale are sheets, pillow cases, bed spreads, long cloths, nainsooks and dainty white goods of various weaves, muslin underwear, embroidery, laces, white waists, handkerchiefs, stamped work, table linens and various other goods of white. See advertisement in yesterday's paper for special prices

Allen Shupe Burned.

Allen Shupe, the 14-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Shupe was burned on the face and head last night when he started to light the kitchen fire at his home west of town. The boy had used coal oil, and just as he applied the match an explosion occurred. His condition is not serious.

Mrs. McCrary Sells Out.

Mrs. S. F. McCrary has sold her millinery stock to Mrs. Robinson of Iowa, and will leave soon for Chicago, where she will live with her daughter, Mrs. E. A. Rask. Mrs. Robinson is expected to arrive tomorrow to take possession of the store.

Home Photography

The demand for my SERVICES in the homes of this vicinity is growing constantly. The SERVICE I am able to offer the public has grown rapidly. From time to time I have added equipment and this with the EXPERIENCE I have had will make it worth your while to think of me when you have need of a PHOTOGRAPHER at your home.

Have the children photographed in HOME surroundings.

Don't you like to get pictures of friends or relatives in or about their HOME? Why not send them some?

I'll take them for you or I'll loan you a kodak FREE OF CHARGE to take them for yourself.

Hanamo Phone 466

J. E. CARPENTER ***The Photographer***

AT THE BEE HIVE SHOE STORE.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING WANTS THAT BRING RESULTS

RATES IN THIS COLUMN

Classified ads running three days or more will be inserted in this column for one half cent per word each insertion. No ads taken for less than 25c for three days.

Ads running less than three days or interrupted insertions 1 cent per word each insertion.

Count the words, send money with the order. Ads should be in by twelve o'clock to insure insertion in this column same day.

Those prices are for cash with order. An extra charge of five cents will be made on all want ads when cash does not accompany the order.

MISCELLANEOUS

NOTICE—Your old carpets and a little money make a valuable new rug. Joseph Cornell. Han. 5264. 20-22*

FOR FOUNDATION WORK, house raising, all kinds of brick, tile or cement work, call Han. 521 or see Frank Reynolds. 15tf.

FOUND—Left in our store, purse containing bill and some small change. Can have same by paying for adv. Garrett Hardware Co. 21-23

QUICK and efficient service is required for first class work. Our service gives this to you. Standard Plumbing Co.

Lost.

LOST—Bunch of keys on ring with Presto light key. Return to Democrat-Forum office. Reward. 20-22*

LOST—Sunday between 216 West Second and Christian church; round gold brooch. Return to this office. 19-21*

LOST—Pocketbook with $5 bill, small change and 3 rings. Lost between Graham's store and Empire theatre Leave at this office. Reward. 19-21*

FOR SALE

FOR SALE — Well built modern home at a bargain. 120 East First street. 17-23*

FOR SALE—A sideboard in good condition. Call at M. E. Flats. J. L. Tilson. 21-24

FOR SALE—Home grown clover seed, no buckhorn, $12 bushel. Frank T. Hall, Farmers phone 5-14. 19-21*

FOR SALE—80 acres at a bargain $1,500 first payment, liberal terms for balance. Allen Bros. 20-22

FOR SALE—4 young Jersey cows, good ones. Inquire of Mrs. Minnie Gates, Route 3, Farmers phone 27-17. 20-22*

FOR SALE—Barred Rock eggs, $4.00 per 100, delivered at grocery in Maryville. Mrs. Albert Watson, phone 5-15 19-21*

FOR SALE—Baled alfalfa hay, $18 ton; also nice green prairie hay, $12 ton. J. L. Scott, 3 miles west of Maryville. 19-21*

FOR SALE—Writing desk, dining table, set dining chairs, refrigerator, good as new; electric reading lamp; 3-burner gasoline stove. Mrs. Ed. Signs, Han. 732 or 78. 19-21

S. C. Rhode Island red cockerels. We have 10 very nice young birds for sale. Telephone 5670 Hanamo quick, if you need any new stock. Shoemaker-Bovard Company. 21-23*

FOR SALE OR RENT—D. E. McDonald home on South Main street. See me soon. A. C. Gann, East Fourth street. 20-22

FOR SALE—This week car of flour at Burlington track; Gilt Edge $4.40 per cwt; Gold Leaf $4.30 per cwt. Maryville Feed and Milling Co., 205 West Third. Hanamo phone 110; Farmers 239. 20-22

FOR SALE OR RENT—2½ acres ground, 2 houses, big barn. Also brood sow, household furniture in good condition for sale. Inquire at Corwin-Murrin store or 717 South Vine. Owen Murrin. 20-22*

FOR SALE—24 head draft horses and mares, 3 and 4 years old. Mares in foal; 20 head cows, springers; 260-acre farm if sold before the first of March. Saunders Bros., Hanamo 3698. 16tf.

HAVING decided to move to Colorado, I will sell at public auction Thursday, March 1, on J. B. Edwards' farm, 4 miles east and 1 mile north of Clearmont, Mo., livestock, corn, hay, household goods, farm implements; also my 40-acre farm. John W. Evans, 21-27*

WANTED

WANTED—Room for light housekeeping. Call Han. 39. 20-22

WANTED—Small amounts of idle money to loan on real estate. Chas. E. Stilwell, Maryville, Mo. 9-tf

IVORY Soap floats. It is the original floating soap. This quality gives Ivory Soap distinct advantages.

Ivory Soap always is at hand; one does not have to grope for it nor is it left in the water to waste away.

Ivory Soap always is in sight; there is no danger of injuring oneself by stepping on the cake in the bathtub.

Even if Ivory Soap were no better than other soaps its floating qualities would make it more desirable.

IVORY SOAP IVORY IT FLOATS 99 44/100 % PURE

WANTED—Old False Teeth. Don't matter if broken. I pay $1.00 to $5.00 per set. Mail to L. MAZER, 2007 S. Fifth street, Philadelphia, Pa. Will send cash by return mail. 3-24*

WANTED TO RENT—Good 120 or 160 acre farm, where a man can make reasonable money. Call Democrat-Forum office. 20-22*

FOR SALE—Barred Rock cockerels, officially scored or utility, $1.50 up; also eggs. Shenandoah yellow seed corn $2.25 per bushel. John King, Hopkins, Mo. 21-23*

WANTED—Good live salesman to establish permanent routes in Maryville and surrounding territory, selling our full line of goods direct to customers. Address Grand Union Tea Co., 815 Frederick Ave., St. Joseph, Mo. 21-22*

FOR RENT

FOR RENT — Seven-room house Close in. J. A. Ford. 20tf.

FOR RENT—Two strictly modern apartments, solid comfort for small families. Chas. Hyslop. 9tf.

FOR RENT—3 rooms for light house keeping, unfurnished, 324 East Fourth street. 19-21

FOR RENT—4 rooms, pantry, good water; also furnished room for light housekeeping, close in. 202 East First street. 20-22*

FOR RENT—Modern rooms for light housekeeping. 615 North Fillmore. Hanamo 5456. 19-21*

FOR RENT—2 rooms and sleeping porch. Mrs. G. A. Nash, 319 West Thompson. 20-22

Notice—

Having purchased the E. W. Ryks Plumbing Company we earnestly solicit the patronage of his old customers, we also appeal to our friends for their patronage.

TINDALL and SMITH Plumbing Company.

Fresh Cut Flowers

in appropriate arrangements for any occasions, at all seasons of the year.

The Engelmann Greenhouses. Phones, 17. 1001 S. Main St.

ATTENTION FARMERS!

Now's the time to look up your tool repairing and plow repair work and get in on a 25 per cent discount all during February. This special discount for cash is good for this month only. The old prices were $2 for 4-shovel and $3 for 6-shovel sharpening and pointing. Prices February will be $1.75 and $2. Stern plows, 14, 16 and 18 inch, 25 cents each, straight. For prices on all kinds of repairing see NICK WAGNER

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Miller and family spent Sunday with Mrs. Perry Miller of near Barnard.

Don't Rub It On Bruises or Sore Muscles

Sloan's Liniment quickly penetrates and soothes *without rubbing.* Cleaner than mussy plasters or ointments, does not stain the skin.

Have a bottle handy for emergency, rheumatic aches and pains, neuralgia, lumbago, gout, strains, sprains and lame back, yield to Sloan's Liniment.

At all druggists, 25c. 50c. and $1.00.

Sloan's Liniment KILLS PAIN

10c higher.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Feb. 21.—CATTLE— Receipts, 15,000; market, 10c higher.

HOGS—Receipts, 38,000; market, 20c higher; top, $12.90.

SHEEP—Receipts, 15,000; market, 10c higher.

St. Joseph Live Stock.

St. Joseph, Feb. 21.—CATTLE—Receipts, 1,500; market, strong.

HOGS—Receipts, 10,000; market, 10c higher; top, $12.90.

SHEEP—Receipts, 3,000; market, strong.

John Owen Murrin will leave tonight for St. Louis where he will resume his school work at St. Louis University. Mr. Murrin was called to Maryville by the death of his mother, Mrs. John Murrin.

MARKET REPORTS

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.
Grain Market Futures.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Kansas City, Feb. 21.— WHEAT — May, $1.77¼; July, $1.47⅞.

CORN—May, 99c; July, 98¼c.

Kansas City Live Stock.

Kansas City, Feb. 21.—CATTLE—Receipts, 5,500; market, higher.

HOGS—Receipts, 17,000; market, higher; top, $12.70.

SHEEP—Receipts, 10,000; market,

Mr. Tire Buyer

The Harkness Trophy Race A Carnival For Goodyear Tires, Sheepshead Bay, Oct. 28th, 100 miles. Won by Aitken in 56 minutes, 37 seconds, at a speed of 105.86 miles per hour
ON GOODYEAR TISES

Galvin second 8 seconds later
ON GOODYEAR TIRES

Wilcox third 25 seconds behind Galvin
ON GOODYEAR TIRES

Henderson fourth
ON GOODYEAR TIRES

Debose fifth
ON GOODYEAR TIRES

Five straight. Does this look good to you. Wouldn't you rather spend your money for a tire that is thoroughly proven. Watch this space Wednesday.

George McMurry
Northeast Corner Square
Buicks Goodyears Supplies

Will Sacrifice

TO CLOSE ESTATE — Property located at the N. W. corner of Fillmore and Halsey streets. Lot 100x125, improved with two story, six room frame house.

S. W. corner of Fifth and Walnut streets; one and one-half story frame building, lot 60x150.

Conception Junction, Mo., one story frame bungalow, 4 rooms, lot 100x150. Will consider any reasonable offer.

KATHERINE DESCHAUER,
956 Webster Ave,
Chicago, Ill.

Switch Board Installed.

Parnell has installed a new Western Electric switch board at their Mutual telephone office. The work was done Saturday afternoon by Joe Davidson of Albany.

Miss Gorins Visits Here.

Miss Mollie Gorins of Corning, Mo., visited Tuesday and Wednesday with her sister, Miss Vera Gorins, who is making her home with Prof. and Mrs. Ira Richardson.

Closing Out Sale

Having sold my farm, I will sell at public auction at my home 5 miles east of Pickering and 2 miles northwest of Orrsburg, on

Wednesday, Feb. 28

beginning at 10 o'clock, the following property—

10 HEAD OF HORSES—One pair bay mares, bred to jack; 1 coming 6-year-old horse; 2 coming 3-year-old geldings; 2 coming 2-year-old geldings; 1 coming 2-year-old filly; 1yearling filly; 1 yearling mule.

51 HEAD OF CATTLE—Seven cows; 32 coming 2-year-old steers; 12coming 2-year-old heifers.

21 HEAD OF HOGS—Twenty-one Chester White gilts, bred for April farrow, all immune.

CORN—1,600 bushels good Yellow Dent.

HAY AND GRAIN—50 tons hay in barn. 200 bushels good seed oats.

IMPLEMENTS—Rock Island hay loader; new Standard mower, 6-foot cut; hay rake; lister; drill; low wheel wagon and other things too numerous to mention.

TERMS—All sums of $10.00 and under, cash; over that amount a credit of 6, 9 or 12 months time will be given on bankable note bearing 8 per cent interest from date. Nothing to be removed until terms of sale are complied with.

LUNCH by Mozingo Valley Ladies Aid.

S. C. Leech

Chas. Evans, Auct. Joseph Jackson, Jr., Clerk.

Ford
THE UNIVERSAL CAR

320,817

Have been built and actually delivered to retail buyers since August 1, 1916

These figures—320,817—represent the actual number of cars manufactured by us since August 1st, 1916, and delivered by our agents to retail buyers.

This unusual fall and winter demand for Ford cars makes it necessary for us to confine the distribution of cars only to those agents who have orders for immediate delivery to retail customers, rather than permit any agent to stock cars in anticipation of later spring sales.

We are issuing this notice to intending buyers that they may protect themselves against delay or disappointment in securing Ford cars. If, therefore, you are planning to purchase a Ford car, we advise you to place your order and take delivery now.

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Delay in buying at this time may cause you to wait several months.

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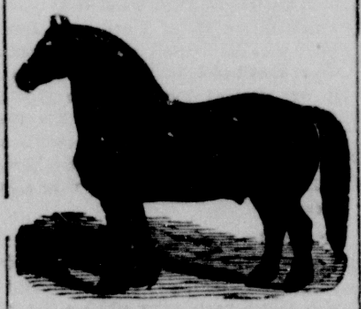
Non-residents authorize me to sell for immediate possession if wanted a splendid ¼ block of ground, seven-room dwelling and barn, west side. Also seven-room dwelling and one lot close in southwest part. Either are modern, save furnace. Either a special snap if taken immediatel. . I have also a snap in a 200-acre stock farm or a fine 300-acre all purpose farm. Both close in. See me in person. Phone will be out of commission on any of these.

Chas. Hyslop

Horses and Mules WANTED



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Star Barn Every Saturday

Will buy draft horses, war horses, and Southern horses and mares. Also want some fat mules, any size and age.

Charles H. Roach

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Worl and daughter, Cleo of Albian, Neb. arrived in Skidmore Saturday morning to visit with Mrs. Worl's mother, Mrs. H. M. Hoagland.

Don't sign your name to an agent's order for nursery stock when you can buy true to name stock near home. State inspected, fully guaranteed direct from the reliable Murray Nurseries of Oregon, Mo., and save agents' commissions.

A reward of $600 has been offered for the recovery of important legal papers stolen one night last week from the Ray county court house.

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AUGUST 1-7
Seven Exceptionally Strong Days

Public Cattle Sale

At my farm 2 miles due east of Maryville

Monday, Feb. 26, 1917

84 HEAD OF CATTLE

19 high grade Cows, heavy springers, 6 Angus, balance Shorthorn and Herefords, some fine milkers

9 Coming 3 year old heifers, 1st of April calving

10 Coming 2 year old heifers, 1st of May calving

Black cows and heifer stuff bred to registered Angus bull

16 high class coming 2 year old steers, sired by registered Shorthorn, good ones

29 Coming yearlings, steers and heifers, containing 5 high grade Angus heifers and 3 steers, balance Shorthorns. No better bunch sold this season

All young stuff my own raising, from high grade to full blood cows and registered males

Registered coming 2 year old Angus bull, low down beef type and good

All bred stuff settled in calf

Noon lunch, sale immediately after. If day is bad, plenty room for sale in barn. Usual terms.

R. P. HOSMER, Auct.
S. H. KEMP, Clerk

Elmer Fraser

Closing Out Sale

Having sold my farm, I will sell at public auction at the farm, 4 miles north and 2 miles east of Maryville, commencing at 10 a. m. on

Tuesday, Feb. 27

the following property:

8 Head of Horses and Mules—Consisting of 1 span of 9-year-old mules; 1 span 5-year-old mules; 1 aged mule; 1 bay horse, 8 years old, weight 1700; 1 grade Shetland pony, 8 years old; 1 gray saddle colt, 2 years old.

30 Head of Cows and Heifers—7 with calves at foot, balance springers; 20 head are Angus grades of good size and quality, balance Shorthorns.

A few Hundred Bushels of Corn—25 bushels good yellow seed corn; some hay and oat straw.

Implements—1 3¼ wagon; 1 all-steel truck; 3 sets 1½-inch harness; 1 set single harness; 2 John Deere 14-inch gang plows; 1 Oliver 12-inch brush plow; 2 20-wheel Rock Island discs; 2 Hays corn planters with wire; 1 John Deere 2-row cultivator; 1 surface cultivator; 1 Avery walking cultivator; 1 Champion 7-foot mower; 1 Deere hay loader; 1 Deering corn binder; 1 Deering self-rake; corn sheller; corn chopper; cream separator; 30-gallon iron kettle; feed cooker; set of scale irons; some household articles and other things too numerous to mention.

Terms—$10 and under, cash; all sums on a credit of 3-12 months time on bankable notes drawing 8 per cent interest. No property to be removed until terms are complied with.

Lunch by Myrtle Tree Church.

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A. R. Harper

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SYMPHONY CONCERT

PROF. P. O. LANDON TO ARRANGE FOR MINNEAPOLIS ORCHESTRA.

HERE APRIL 16 AND 17

Backed By Commercial Club and Supported By Guarantors, Success Is Predicted.

Authorized by the Maryville Commercial Club, Prof. P. O. Landon, who is in Chicago on a business trip will make arrangements for the Minneapolis Symphony Orchestra to play in Maryville on April 16 and 17.

The orchestra will give a concert on the evening of April 16, a matinee concert on the afternoon of April 17 and an evening concert on the evening of April 17. It is probable that the concerts will be held in the Normal auditorium which is well fitted for music of such excellence.

Fifty-five instrumentalists and four soloists comprise the orchestra, which is supported by the citizens of Minneapolis and remains in that city for a greater part of the year. They are making a winter tour this year and are being received everywhere with the appreciation that they deserve. In all the large cities on the Western coast large crowds have heard them, and their tour through the Central states which begins sometime in March, will no doubt be as successful.

The matter of having a return engagement with the Minneapolis Symphony orchestra was broached a few weeks ago by Professor Landon at the weekly dinner at the Board of Directors of the Commercial Club. Professor Landon took the entire responsibility last year, but this year asked the Commercial Club to help him support the enterprise. His suggestion was immediately taken under consideration by the directors, and they agreed to see that financial backing was given the enterprise. E. M. Claypool visited the various business men who had acted as guarantors last year, and they unanimously agreed to lend their aid this year.

The Minneapolis orchestra, like the New York and the Boston Symphony orchestras, is considered one of the finest in the United States, and a monument to the public spirit of the residents of Minneapolis.

BUYS PLUMBING BUSINESS

Ryks Plumbing Co. Sold to Captain Tindall and James Smith This Morning.

E. W. Ryks sold his plumbing business this morning to W. A. Tindall and James Smith, who will take possession at once. Mr. Ryks announced that he would remain in Maryville for two or three weeks and at this time did not know where he would locate.

Mr. Tindall is an experienced plumber, having been in that business in Maryville for many years. James Smith has been in the employ of the Armstrong Foundry for several years.

Tarkio Defeated Central.

Central College of Fayette, which plays the Normal team here this evening was defeated by Tarkio College last night at Tarkio by a score of 31 to 28. Preceding the Central-Normal game, tonight a game will be played between the Hopkins Public school team and the Training school.

K. SPANGLER IS KILLED

Elmo Man Sustains Broken Neck in Fall From Hay Wagon—Details Are Not Known.

K. Spangler died at his home in Elmo last night at 9 o'clock as a result of an accident a few hours previous in which he sustained a broken neck. The particulars of the accident are not known. Mr. Spangler was found laying by the side of the hay wagon by C. J. Jennings, and it was thought that he had been there for probably an hour.

Mr. Spangler started out yesterday afternoon with a wagon to get a load of hay from the Marion Atherton farm, four miles southwest of Elmo. On his way back to town, it is thought the wagon went into a deep rut, throwing Mr. Spangler off and breaking his neck. He was unconscious when found by Jennings and continued in that state until his death.

Mr. Spangler was 65 years old and is survived by his wife and three children, Bert Spangler, who lives at Elmo; Mrs. C. W. Severs, who lives near Elmo; and Mrs. Ardella Morrow, who lives near Blanchard, Ia.

PLAN HOME-COMING

ARRANGEMENTS FOR RECEPTION OF BAND BOYS BEING MADE.

TO ARRIVE NEXT WEEK

City Will Be Decorated With Flags — Reception and Program to be Given in the Evening.

Plans are nearly completed for the home coming celebration which is to be held in honor of the boys of the Fourth Regiment band upon their arrival early next week.

The entertainment committee of the Commercial Club, H. L. Raines, Lawrence Schumacher and Ed Keck, met yesterday afternoon and decided on tentative plans for the affair. The Fourth Regiment left the border yesterday and it is probable that the band will be in Maryville about Monday or Tuesday of next week. If they arrive on the noon train from St. Joseph, they will be met at the train by a procession of automobiles containing all of the prominent citizens of Maryville.

The band will then be escorted up town to the Hotel Linville and the Hotel Bainum, where they will be the guests of the city. In the middle of the afternoon the out-of-town members of the band will be given an automobile ride around the city.

In the evening a reception, concert and program will be held, probably at the Empire Theatre. A nominal fee will be charged those desiring to attend and the proceeds of the evening will be presented to the boys as a gift from Maryville.

Every effort will be made to have this a patriotic demonstration as well as a home-coming for the boys. The city will be decorated with flags, and the business men will trim their store windows for the occasion. It is expected that residence owners will enter heartily into the spirit of the event and will decorate their homes with bunting and flags.

E. M. Claypool sent a telegram to Prof. T. B. Maulding this morning asking him to send word at once as soon as the time of leaving Fort Riley had been ascertained. In the meantime the plans will be perfected so that all will be in readiness for the reception any time after Sunday.

Fern Theatre, Tonight

Charlie Chaplin
in the "PAWNSHOP"

One of his funniest pictures—It's a scream from the Title to the end. Also a three reel drama, **"THE CHEATERS"** and a one reel Nester Comedy.

ALL FOR 10c and 15c

THURSDAY—TOMORROW AFTERNOON, AT 2:30 P. M. AND NIGHT 7 P. M., we will show the most wonderful and complete 12-reel picture produced, featuring WM. FARNUM and KATHLYN WILLIAMS, in "THE SPOILERS." See synopsis of this on another page. 15c and 25c

PROFESSORS BUSY

THE NORMAL TEACHERS ATTEND MANY COMMUNITY MEETINGS.

SERVICES ARE IN DEMAND

Lecturing at County Schools and of Judging Debates Occupy Spare Moments of All.

Few persons in Maryville realize the amount of outside work that is done by the teachers at the State Normal school. In addition to their regular duties at the Normal they spend many hours in the service of the county and the state, attending teachers' meetings, acting as judges for debates and giving lectures at country school houses. Some of the recent and immediate activities of the Normal faculty are listed below:

L. W. Greathouse spoke at three different township meetings in Daviess county last week—at Altamont Thursday; Pattonsburg, Friday; and Jamesport, Saturday.

Miss Carrie Hopkins spoke at a community meeting at Pattonsburg, Friday afternoon.

This week Dean G. H. Colbert will attend a conference on Rural Education at Lincoln, Nebr., Thursday and Friday. This meeting is called by P. P. Claxton, United States Commissioner of Education.

S. E. Davis will spend Thursday and Friday in Livingston county in two community meetings where the subject of consolidation is under consideration.

Dr. Harrington, Mr. Wilson, and Mr. Swinehart will judge a debate between Burlington Junction and Excelsior Springs High Schools at Burlington Junction Friday night.

Friday night, Mr. Belting, of the Agriculture Department, and Miss Nancy Gustin, student scholar in the Home Economics Department, will speak before a community meeting at Pickering.

Next week the Department of Superintendence of the National Educational association meets in Kansas City. Practically all of the faculty will attend this meeting, Thursday and Friday, the winter term of the Normal school closing Wednesday afternoon. Mr. Hawkins, as chairman of the executive committee of the State Teachers' association, will preside at a meeting of the executive committee the latter part of the week. The different members of the faculty are members of or interested in departments and allied meetings which are in session at the same time throughout the week.

President Richardson spoke at the community meeting to consider the question of centralization of school territory at Ravenwood Tuesday night before the school board convention of Nodaway county Wednesday morning, and will attend the National association of Normal School Presidents at Kansas City Friday and Saturday of this week and the meeting of the National Association of Teachers Colleges on Saturday. He will attend the meeting of the Department of Superintendence and other allied groups meeting in Kansas City during the next week. On Tuesday afternoon he is on the program of the National Federation of State Educational associations for the discussion of the topic, "A Survey of State Educational Associations." As president of the State Teachers association, he will attend the meeting of the executive committee of the State Teachers Association and a joint meeting of the Reading Circle Board and Executive committee of the State Teachers association the latter part of the week, and will also meet the members of the Resolutions committee of the State Teachers association in a preliminary meeting which will be held during the educational meetings at Kansas City. The appointment of this committee is one of the duties of the president of the State Teachers association.

Dry Bill Passed Senate.

Topeka, Kan., Feb. 21.—Kansas Bone Dry bill passed the senate and now only requires the governor's signature.

EVERY DEPARTMENT

In our Day work or Night sessions is offering a big inducement to students enrolling on or before March First. For particulars, see manager at office.

Maryville Business College

MRS. BIRDSELL DIES

Ravenwood Woman Passes Away at Hospital in St. Joseph — The Funeral Tomorrow.

Mrs. Charley Birdsell, 57 years old died yesterday at a hospital in St. Joseph, where she has been taking treatment. The body will arrive in Ravenwood today and funeral services will be held at 11 o'clock tomorrow morning at the Monroe church near Ravenwood. Burial will be in the Monroe cemetery. Mrs. Birdsell is survived by four children Carl Birdsell of near Ravenwood, with whom she made her home, Glen Birdsell and Mrs. Susie Yeary both of near Ravenwood and Mrs. Lois Herned, of Prescott, Kan.

WILL ASK FOR POWER.

President Wilson Will Request Authority to Act In Emergency Cases.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, Feb. 21.—President Wilson has definitely decided to go before Congress next week to ask for power to employ whatever agencies are necessary in any emergency that might arise after the adjournment of that body This was learned in high official circles today although no formal announcement of his intention was made.

250 AT THE MEETING

PRES.'S AND SEC'YS. OF COUNTY SCHOOL BOARDS CONVENE.

SUPT. COOPER, CHAIRMAN

Carl Wray Acts As Secretary of Sessions — Prominent Educators Were Speakers.

About 250 presidents and secretaries of the various school boards of Nodaway county are attending the convention being held at the court house today. The morning program began at 9:30 o'clock with an invocation by the Rev. Gilbert S. Cox. Supt. Bert Cooper then took his place as chairman of the meeting and Carl Wray of Guilford was elected secretary of the convention.

Mr. Wray immediately protested that in these patriotic days no business could be done without the presence of the American flag. D. E. Hotchkin volunteered to furnish some and they were placed in position around the circuit court room.

O. G. Null of Pickering in his address on "Advantages of a Normal Building Fund Each Year for Repairs," emphasized the fact that "A stitch in time saves nine" that repairs each year are better than run down equipment and more economical.

He argued that the moral effort on teachers, parents and pupils was worth many times the cost of care of equipment. A discussion by W. B. Torrance, William Oakerson and M. C. Noland followed.

Dr. Ed Miller of Hopkins told the audience that the best way to get service from a teacher was first to get the right teacher, then to get equipment for the building and lastly to procure loyalty from the school board.

President Ira Richardson of the State Normal School was next. He urged the proper selection of teachers as necessary to the progress of teaching. He compared and contrasted the old and new times in schools and in demands on teachers.

Doctor L. E. Dean emphasized the necessity of pure drinking water in the schools. He told the audience that hard water was not good for the body, and urged that the water supply come from a covered well.

The report of the committee on Taxation and Tuition made by H. W. Hull of Elm Grove school closed the morning session.

The afternoon session was opened by the children of Garfield school, who, under the direction of Misses Denny, Hazelrigg and Cook gave a series of songs, which were well done.

These were followed by talks by W. M. Oakerson of Jefferson City; Supt. J. M. McDonald and Prof. G. H. Colbert. The afternoon session will close about 6 o'clock this evening.

WOULD NOT FIGHT BROTHERS.

German Fearing He Will Have to Join U. S. Army, Takes Poison.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Halstead, Kan., Feb. 21.—Believing that he would have to go with the United States army and fight two brothers in the German army, Herman Ditman, wealthy German farmer, took poison and died.

INTEREST GROWING

COUNTRY PEOPLE WOULD STUDY HOME BEAUTIFICATION.

WILL HELP THEM, TOO

Professors Belting and Leeson Will Advise All — Care of Trees A Necessity.

The question of city beautification is rapidly gaining supporters in Maryville. But this is not all. Country people are also considering the matter and are apt to make the matter of broader significance by starting a movement to beautify their country homes.

Numerous calls have come from counrty people regarding the lecture to be given by H. F. Major, landscape architect of the University of Missouri. They wish to know if they may come to hear about beautifying the home grounds. The answer has been a cordial invitation to be present at the lecture and to attend any of the subsequent lectures that are given. Professor C. H. Belting and Professor C. Leeson will also serve as far as possible and will give advice to all of the country home owners who desire it. If plans of the grounds are sent they will give instructions on the artistic planting of trees and shrubs.

Professor C. H. Belting has the following advice to give to those who are contemplating the planting of trees and shrubs this spring. He also tells how to care for trees and especially how to prune them.

Pruning of Shade Trees.

It is no longer questioned that properly pruned, thrifty shade trees greatly enhance the beauty of city premises. Pruning should begin when a tree is first set out and continue yearly thereafter. The initial pruning is done to establish an equilibrium between the roots and branches and to shape the head. The later attention is for the purpose of removing dead limbs and branches which interfere or need restraint. Each tree is an individual problem and general rules for pruning will apply only when a liberal amount of judgment is used.

Pruning may be done any time, but the best seasons are the late fall, late winter and early spring. Fall pruning in this locality is not so desirable as the spring trimming, because there is a harmful loss of moisture from the wounds during the cold dry period when the trees are dormant. Don't use an ax on a tree except to cut it down. An ax leaves a rough injured area which may never heal over. An extension pruning hook may be used for the ends of small lateral and terminal branches. A common saw may be used with good results but a regular pruning saw with an adjustable blade is the handier tool in close quarters.

In removing large limbs cut partly through from the under side, about a foot from the trunk, then on the upper side, about an inch or two closer to the trunk, cut through until the limb falls. Cutting in this manner prevents the falling bough from tearing off a strip of bark in it's descent. Then saw off the spur perpendicularly to the trunk as close as possible. A rough projecting spur will never heal over entirely. The snag soon rots off and decay extends into the heartwood. A smooth wound five inches in diameter, under most favorable conditions, will become covered with a new growth of bark within five years. A protective, antiseptic dressing of common oil paint, creosote, or coal tar will prevent drying out, and will exclude water, funguous growths, and insects, while nature is healing the injury.

Dead or unsound limbs should always be trimmed out, for they are dangerous to passersby during windstorms or when covered with ice and snow. An unsound tree had better be removed entirely if it furnishes little shade. A few unsound trees, especially if they are valuable, may have their lives lenghtened by chiseling out the decayed portions of the trunks and filling their cavities with a soft concrete mixture.

Severe heading in or "dehorning" of mature trees is not practicable. The wounds are usually too large and ragged to heal. Borers soon infest the mutilated unsightly stumps, destroying the tree in its weakened condition.

T. B. Groves of Wray, Colo., is spending a few days in Maryville visiting his sister, Mrs. John Snapp and other relatives.

WOMEN APPEAL TO WILSON

Housewives of America Ask President to Use His Influence to Relieve Starving Women in N. Y.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

New York, Feb. 21—Aroused by food riots and describing the food situation as "chaotic," the Housewives of America have appealed to the President for relief. In an urgent telegram Mrs Julian Heath, president of the National Housewives' League called upon the President to "use his great influence to alleviate the situation."

Riots Still in Order.

New York, Feb. 21.—Sporadic uprisings against the food prices have kept the police busy today in the East side tenement districts.

May Repeat Bread Riots.

New York, Feb. 21.—Threatening repetition of the Paris bread riots, hundreds of women began gathering around the city hall this afternoon for a second demonstration within two days. Sweet Marie Gantz, the leader, is urging the drive.

ARE SNOWED UNDER

1,469 BILLS AWAITING ACTION OF THE STATE ASSEMBLY.

AND MORE ARE COMING

Leaders in Senate and House Will Appoint a Steering Committee to Select Measures for Passage.

New Auto License Bill

Jefferson City, Feb. 21—The House engrossed the new automobile license bill. If it becomes a law it will raise a million and two hundred thousand dollars a year for good roads.

Jefferson City, Feb. 21.—The congested condition of the calendar of bills in the Forty-ninth General Assembly has at last caused the leaders in the Senate and House to start laying plans for the establishment of a joint steering committee upon which will descend the labor of picking out for passage at this session the most important of the 1,469 bills and amendments now awaiting action.

Senator John F. Morton, majority leader in the Upper House, and Representatives Frank H. Farris, Democratic House leader will select the personnel of the Steering committee.

Senator Morton has given no hint as to when the committee might be named. While it is expected to favor the administration bills, the selection of Senate members to serve on the joint body will be watched with keen interest. Senator Morton reiterated his declaration that he intended calling up immediately the administration measures on the Senate calendar.

The flow of new bills into the House continues, despite the fact that their authors, at this late date, have little hope of their passage. Under the rules of the House, bills may be introduced up to within fifteen days of the end of the session, and members are not hesitating in taking full advantage of their privileges.

In the Senate there are 91 bills on the calendar for third reading and nine House bills. The engrossment calendar contains 190 measures. Of the ten House measures received by the Upper body only the Farris saloon tax bill has been considered.

In the House 119 bills are pending for final consideration and 268 measures on the calendar for engrossment. Not a single Senate bill has been put on third reading.

It was pointed out that the wet and dry issue has, in a large measure, clogged the legislative machinery.

Confirms Gardner's Strength.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Jefferson City, Feb. 21.—Gov. Gardner's strength in the Senate was proven this afternoon when his appointments of the St. Joseph police commissioners were confirmed by a vote of 21 to 9.

COULDN'T REVIVE COLUMBIAN TREATY

PRESIDENT'S EFFORTS FAIL BECAUSE REPUBLICANS OBJECT.

WAS STEP TOWARD MAKING CANAL SAFE

Will Not Be Brought Up Again At This Session — Austria Considers The U. S. Note.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, Feb. 21.—President Wilson's efforts to revive the Columbian treaty as a step towards guaranteeing the safety of the Panama canal in case of war with Germany, failed today, when Republican members of the Senate Foreign Relations committee declined to withdraw their opposition to the convention. No further attempt to ratify the treaty will be made at this session, it was stated.

That Turkey will not waver in carrying out Germany's submarine policy as outlined by Germany was contained in a cablegram from Ambassador Elkus from Constantinople.

Austria Considers U. S. Note.

Berlin, Feb. 21.—Official announcement was made today through the Overseas News that the United States submarine inquiry to Austria "as actually under careful examination and will answer when this is completed."

Moderate Fighting Activity.

Berlin, Feb. 21.—In spite of rain and fog there has been moderate fighting activity at a number of points on the Western front. French guns are pounding newly won grounds south of Ripont, the war office announced.

Italian Transport Sinks.

Berlin, Feb. 21.—A crowded Italian transport has been sunk in the Mediterranean Sea by a submarine, according to an announcement made today by the Overseas News Agency. In addition to the transport, two armed steamers bearing important cargoes to Saloniki, were destroyed. There was no mention of loss of life.

Seven Ships Arrive.

New York, Feb. 21.—Seven ships, three of which came from the barred zone, arrived here today. The crews of the American liners, St. Louis and St. Paul have been paid off and there is every indication that those ships will be held in port indefinitely.

ANNOUNCES ENGAGEMENT.

Nona McAdoo, Daughter of Secretary to Marry Russian Secretary.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, Feb. 21.—Secretary McAdoo this afternoon announced the engagement of his daughter, Nona Hazel Hurst McAdoo, to Ferdinand Demohrenschildt, second secretary to the Imperial Russian Embassy in Washington

General Pershing Appointed.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Washington, Feb. 21.—General Pershing today appointed to succeed General Funston, the war department announced.

TO MEET KING ALFONSO.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Madrid, Feb. 21.—Ambassador Gerard will have an audience with King Alfonso before his departure from Europe, according to a well-founded report. A great crowd gathered at the railway station to greet Gerard.

KILLED IN TRAIN WRECK.

Berlin, Feb. 21.—Five hundred persons, mainly Rumanian refugees, were killed and about 1500 were injured in a train wreck near Chirurcha in northern Rumania, says the Overseas News Agency today.

THE WEATHER.

Partly cloudy tonight and Tuesday; colder, cold wave north portion; fresh shifting winds.

BASKET BALL—

Central College *vs.* Maryville State Normal
Game Called 8:15 p. m.

Hopkins Public Schools vs. Training School
7th and 8th grades

Tonight Normal Gymnasium

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MUSTEROLE

WILL NOT BLISTER

Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

NORMAL NOTES.

(By Ross McReynolds).

The Gentry county club gave a program before the student body at assembly yesterday. This is the first program that any of the various clubs have put on before the school and was heartily enjoyed by all, especially Wade Henderson's encore, in which he rocked the colored doll. The program was: Reading, "Woman's Rights," Florine Allen; vocal solo, "The Perfect Day," Wade Henderson; reading, "The Polish Boy," Claudine Woolen; piano solo, Merle Levy.

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The Y. W. C. A. gave a short program this morning.

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The temporary programs for next quarter are posted and the students are eagerly scanning them to discover their conflicts.

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The following programs will be given tomorrow:

Eurekan—Vocal solo, Eugene Bird; reading, Claudine Woolen; current events, Ernest Breit; vocal duet, Brownye Helpley and Birdie Ozenberger.

Excelsior—Music, Golda LaMar; "Life of Washington," M. F. Hurst; "What Washington Did," Leslie Elam; reading, William O. DeVore and two extemporaneous talks by members of the society.

Philomathean—Piccolo solo, George Wamsley; essay, "The Greatness of Little Things," Warren Breit; extemporaneous speeches on "When a Feller Needs a Friend," by members of the society; "Side Lights on Current Events," Mary West.

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The El Primero dramatic society gave a Riley program this afternoon. It was: "Riley and the dramatic monologue," Merle Levy; readings, "Down to the Capital," Bruce Wilkerson; child poem, Kahla Bennick; Griggsby's Station," Elizabeth Sobbing; "Nothin' to Say," Eugene Bird.

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The tournament teams are battling for supremacy. Last night the team composed of Lyle (Capt.), Gannon, Clam, E. Bird and Todd, won from the team composed of Hubbard (Capt.), Peter, Hix, Gray and C. Sawyers, by a score of 23 to 5. The team composed of Ferguson (Capt.), Halasey, Siddons, Hanna and Strader, won from Laughlin (Capt.), Brown, Pugh, Nichols and Wilson, by the close score of 23 to 21.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Flour! Flour! Flour!

Car on Burlington Track

FLOUR WENT UP 20c a barrel today, but for this week we will sell—

Gilt Edge
$4.40 per cwt.

Gold Leaf
$4.30 per cwt.

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Has just returned from New York City, the world's greatest dry goods market, where with his two brothers, bought large quantities of the newest merchandise for the three Haines Stores. The new things have begun to arrive and from now on every express train will bring Something New.

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Delegates to Peace League.

Judge William Blackford and Prosecuting Attorney Sawyers have been appointed by Governor Gardner as delegates to the Convention of the League to Enforce Peace, which will be in session tomorrow at Jefferson City.

To Speak at Lincoln.

W. M. Oakerson who is in attendance at the County School Board convention here today will go to Lincoln, Nebr., where he is on the program for an address before the National Rural Life Conference.

Tomato futures in Platte County went up $1 a ton last week when the Dearborn canning factory raised their contract price to $10 a ton.

Here From North Dakota.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Ellis of Starkweather, N. D., arrived in Maryville this week and will be guests at the home of Mrs. Ellis' parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Gray for two weeks. Mrs. Ellis spent a few weeks in Maryville last summer visiting her parents.

Marriage License Issued.

A marriage license was issued today by Recorder Baker to Grover Cleveland Nelson and Ruth Anna Manship of Guilford.

Mrs. H. A. Shrock of Fort Morgan, Colo., and Miss Nannie Pride left today for Rochester, where Mrs. Shrock will take treatment at the Mayo Bros.' hospital.

GIRLS WIN IN DEBATE.

Say That Fashion Habit Is not More Harmful Than Tobacco Habit.

The Lafayette School Debating Society held its regular session at the school house near Guilford Friday night. The question was: Resolved: That the Fashion Habit is More Harmful Than the Tobacco Habit. Boys debated on the affirmative and girls on the negative sides. The girls won.

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'The Spoilers'

With a Stellar Cast Including
William Farnum and Kathlyn Williams
Rex Beech's Thrilling Tale of the Alaskan Gold Field

GLENISTER and DEXTRY, co-owners of the "Midas," the richest mine in Alaska, after celebrating their good fortune, leave Nome to spend the winter in the "States," but before leaving Glenister arrives at an understanding with and bids bood-bye to Cherry Malotte, a dance-hall girl, who has become interested in him. Before their return to Alaska in the following Sprirug, a plot is hatched in Washington, D. C., to juggle the Alaskan land laws in such a manner as to rob all the rich miners of their property, and to that end, a corrupt judge is appointed with instructions to obey the orders of Alex. McNamara, the genius of the entire conspiracy.

The judge is dispatched to Nome at once, but on the eve of sailing from Seattle he is taken ill and is forced to entrust certain documents to his niece, Helen Chester, who thus becomes the innocent agent of the conspirators. Helen sails but enroute to Nome smallpox breaks out on the ship and she is threatened with thirty days' quarantine. She manages to escape, with the assistance of Glenister and Dextry, who have taken passage on another ship. The two men are ignorant of the nature of Helen's errand, and gallantly fight and defeat her pursuers then smuggle her on board their own ship and protect her until she arrives at Nome, where she delivers to Struve, McNamara's agent, the secret papers entrusted to her. Glenister, who has fallen in love with the girl, saves her life in a street brawl at the risk of his own, then secures living quarters for her with the wife of his mine superintendent

In due time Judge Stillman and McNamara arrive in Nome, and with the help of Struve's rascally firm begin their machinations. The new faction shortly assumes control of all the mines, including the "Midas," and Glenister, because of his love for Helen, prevents the miners from using violence against Judge Stillman and prevails upon them to let the law take its course. Cherry Malotte, the beautiful dance-hall girl, returns from Dawson City, discovers Glenister's love for Helen and determines to combat it In this she is assisted by the Broncho Kid, a gambler and an outcast, who has recognized in Helen Chester his own sister, whom he has not seen since boyhood, and who misinterprets Glenister's feelings for Helen. Glenister and Dextry find that the Nome court will grant them no relief and decide to send their lawyer, Bill Wheaton, back to San Francisco with an appeal to the federal courts. To secure money for this purpose, they arrange to rob the sluices of their own mine, which they succeed in doing, but are saved from capture by Helen, who recognizes Glenister in time to send McNamara's men on a false trail. Later the Broncho Kid suspects Glenister of the robbery and advises McNamara to search his cabin before there is time to conceal the gold; but Cherry learns of the plan and with her quick wit foils McNamara's effort.

Wheaton returns from San Francisco with a writ from the federal court, which Stillman refuses to recognize, thus making plain the nature of the conspiracy. Becoming fearful of outright violence, McNamara undertakes to remove the gold dust taken from the "Midas," and other mines to a place of greater safety, but Glenister and his friends storm the bank and are prevented from taking forcible possession of the gold only by the timely arrival of troops summoned from a near-by post. For a second time Wheaton is dispatched to the "States" for aid from the superior courts.

Meanwhile Glenister becomes convinced that Helen has been a conscious accomplice of "The Spoilers" and intends to marry McNamara, so in a restless mood he spends a desperate night in the Northern gambling hall, playing faro. The Broncho Kid, who is dealer, plots to ruin Glenister with the assistance of Sherry as "case-keeper." At the crisis of the game, when his money is gone, Glenister wagers his interest in the "Midas" and is prevented from losing only by Cherry's declaration that "the cases are wrong."

Cherry saves Helen from a drunken miner, and learning her identity prompts her to suspect the truth of the situation in which her uncle figures. Realizing the great wrong that she has helped to do. Helen undertakes to remedy it, and overhearing the judge and McNamara arranging for Glenister's immediate arrest, she finds him and enables him to escape with a posse at his heels. With the aid of Cherry Malotte, Glenister makes good his flight, summons his friends and decides to make an end of the looting of the mines by destroying them with dynamite, thus checking McNamara's activities until Wheaton can invoke further aid from the federal courts.

Wrapped in a woof of mystery and uncertainty, Helen appeals to McNamara's accomplice, Struve, who offers to put her in possession of the truth if she will go with him that night to a distant roadhouse for supper. Conscious of her peril, Helen agrees.

The miners, under Glenister's leadership, dynamite the "Midas" and defeat their enemies in an exciting battle, in the midst of which Glenister hears of Helen's danger and rides headlong to her rescue. He arrives to find Struve badly wounded and to hear that Helen has gone away with the Broncho Kid. Heedless now of all save Helen's safety, Glenister rides into town and there encounters McNamara at Struve's office, where the latter has gone to destroy the documentary evidence of the conspiracy. The two men fight a terrific hand-to-hand battle, in which Glenister triumphs.

Wheaton arrives in time to effect the arrest of the conspirators, on instructions from the federal court, and Helen produces the proofs of guilt which she had secured from Struve. Justice is done and Helen confesses her love for the man she had helped to wrong.

FOR ASSESSOR.

We are authorized to announce the candidacy of Lucian F. Yowell as a candidate for assessor of Polk township on the Democratic ticket subject to the action of the Democratic convention.

FOR ASSESSOR.

We are authorized to announce the candidacy of Ed F. Hamlin for assessor of Polk Township, subject to the action of the Democratic convention.

FOR ASSESSOR.

We are authorized to announce the candidacy of Henry M. Souers for assessor of Polk township, subject to the action of the Democratic convention.

FOR ASSESSOR.

We are authorized to announce the candidacy of L. L. Holbrook for assessor of Polk township, subject to the action of the Republican convention.

FOR COLLECTOR.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for collector for Polk Township, subject to the decision of the Republican township convention.

C. L. GANN.

FOR COLLECTOR.

We are authorized to announce the candidacy of B. M. Chandler for Collector for Polk township, subject to the decision of the Democratic convention.

FOR TOWNSHIP TRUSTEE.

We are authorized to announce the candidacy of John Halasey for township trustee for Polk township, subject to the decision of the Democrati convention.

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Makes $4,000 On Sale.

The sale conducted at the farm of L. F. Collins, one-fourth mile east of Guilford, was largely attended, and $4,000 was realized from the disposal of the goods. Mr. Collins leaves soon for the west where he will remain indefinitely. He intends to take up government land.

FOR CONSTIPATION

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BURIED AT GUILFORD

Mrs. Gladys Marquis Dies At New Home In Detroit.

Mrs. Gladys Marquis, daughter of Mrs. J. W. Gore of St. Joseph was buried in the Guilford cemetery yesterday. Short funeral services were held at the grave conducted by the Rev. O. E. Lockart.

Mrs. Marquis who died at her home in Detroit Sunday after short illness, formerly lived at Guilford. She is survived by her husband and two sons.

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Alert Rebekahs to Meet.

The Alert Rebekah lodge will meet tomorrow night at the Odd Fellows hall at 7:30. All members and families are invited to be present as a social and entertainment will be given.

Forty-Five Couples At Costume Dance.

About forty-five couples attended the costume dance given in the Knights of Columbus hall by Mrs. Will Foster. The hall was prettily decorated and several of the guests were costumed. Refreshments were served at the New York Candy Kitchen.

Mrs. Thomas, Hostess

Mrs. D. J. Thomas was hostess to the Tuesday afternoon Bridge Club yesterday at her home on North Main street. One guest, Miss Dorothy Pierce was present. Mrs. George Baker won high score. Dainty refreshments were served by the hostess.

Mission Circle Picnic Supper.

Members of the Mission Circle of the Christian church entertained with a picnic supper last night at the church parlors, in honor of their husbands and families. About twenty-five guests were entertained. Dainty refreshments were served in cafeteria style. Various games were played during the evening.

Mary Lawrence Circle Meets.

The Mary Lawrence Circle met last night at the home of Mr and Mrs. W. B. Porter, with Misses Bessie and Hazel Porter as hostesses. Miss Opal Key was the leader for the evening. The study of Mexico was continued and those who read papers were as follows, Misses Virginia Rose, Cora Price, Bessie Porter and Mrs. Edward Gray. Miss Marie Reuilliard gave a piano solo. After the study hour dainty refreshments were served by the hostesses. About fifteen members and two visitors, Mrs. J. F. Roelofson and Miss Ada Hawkins were present.

Tourist Department Meets With Mrs. Colbert.

The Tourist Department of the Twentieth Century Club met yesterday afternoon at the home of Mrs. G. H. Colbert. The afternoon's lesson was on the regular study of Russia, and the following program was given: "Characteristics of Paul 1" by Miss Lucie Davis; Mrs. W. A. Rickenbrode gave a sketch on the "Effects of Napoleon's Wars on Russia." The March to the Grand Armee to Moscow, (Tolstoy) was given by Mrs. J. C. Allender and Mrs. John Gray gave a talk on the life of Alexander 1 from 1820 to 1825. Small maps of Russia were distributed to the members and it was decided that the Club should continue the study of Russia for the coming year. About twenty members were present. Two visitors, Mrs. Coile and Mrs. C. H. Belting were also present.

Miss Miller Hostess.

Miss Nettie Miller entertained at her home near Bolckow Friday evening with a card party after which a slumber party for the girls followed. Candy and dainty refreshments were served by the hostess. Miss Nettie Miller and Frank Ryther won the honor of being champion card players. Mr. Miller and family will soon move from the neighborhood and as the guests departed they wished them a host of friends in their new home. Those present were: Misses Edna Miller, Edith Ryther, Belle Hutchison, Della Jackson, Melissa Jackson, Messrs Frank Ryther, Carl Davis, Charles Collins and Ray Roach.

Celebrate 21st Anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. S. K. Chappell assisted by Mrs. George Davis entertained at 12 o'clock dinner Sunday in honor of the twenty-first birthday anniversaries of Leon and Leona Chappell. Covers were laid for Mr. and Mrs. S. K. Chappell, Mr. and Mrs. George Chappell and children, Georgia Marie and Mary Rose Chappell, Leon D. Chappell, Mrs. Letty Buyler. In the afternoon music was furnished on the graphaphone by Leon Chappell. Late in the afternoon all departed for their homes wishing the young people many more happy birthdays.

Hostesses to Westminster Guild.

Misses Dessa Gault,, Betty Ridman and Florence Sage were hostesses to the Westminster Guild which met last night at the Gault home on West Second street. During the business session the new officers were installed and were as follows: President, Miss Kate Schenck; vice president, Miss Lois Farmer; treasurer, Miss Nora Ritze, and secretary Miss Ethel Woods. Delicious refreshments were served by the hostesses. Twenty members and several visitors were present. The visitors were: Dr. and Mrs. S. A. Coile, Mrs. Sam McClurg, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stephenson and daughter, Thelma, and Mrs. Oscar Etchison.

Mrs. Moore Entertains M. I. Circle.

Mrs. George Moore was hostess to the M. I. Circle which met yesterday afternoon at her home on South Main street. This meeting of the Circle was one of the most interesting that has ever been held and was well attended. Devotions were led by Mrs. James Ray and roll call was answered by quotations from various poets. Following roll call all present sang "Our M. I. C." which was composed by Mrs. Gallatin Craig, a former member of the Circle.

The most interesting part of the afternoon's program was a play given by the members, "Madame Princeton's Beauty Parlors." The cast of characters was as follows: Mrs. Vada Halley was the fat woman, who was being reduced, Mrs. Charles McNeal was Madame Princeton, Mrs. Charley Stilwell was Dicky Bird, a young flirt, Mrs. J. E. Melvin was Susan, teh attendant, Mrs. George Moore was Miss Willinger who was having her wrinkles removed, and "last but not least" Mrs. S. E. Farmer was reporter for the Democrat-Forum. Following the play, Mrs. H. L. Raines sang a couple of solos and Miss Dorothy McDonald gave several musical numbers on the piano.

Following the program dainty refreshments were served by the hostess assisted by Mrs. Vada Halley, Mrs. J. E. Melvin, Mrs. Charles McNeal and Miss Edna Moore. Besides the members present a number of guests enjoyed the afternoon's entertainment. The guests present were: Mrs. Gallatin Craig, Mrs. O. L. Holmes, Mrs. James Goff, Mrs. Harry Mutz, Mrs. Mary Lambert, Mrs. Pennington, Mrs. J. A. Spiers, Mrs. H. L. Raines, Mrs. C. C. Leeson, Mrs. Booth, Mrs. H. E. Wright, Mrs. J. B. Robinson, Mrs. Andy Hawkins, Mrs. L. E. Crossan and Mrs. Mary Hook.

Breakfast Party.

A six o'clock breakfast party was given this morning at the Edwards' cafe as a farewell for Misses Grace Miller and Nellie Lindsay. The hostesses were. Susie Shisler, Claudine Woolen, Freida Shaffer, Blanche Sweat, Vestena Sweat, and Kohla Bennick.

H. K. G. Meets.

The women of the H. K. G. club were entertained by their husbands, Tuesday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Noakes, who will soon move to Hopkins. Refreshments were brought and served by the men and after supper peanuts and candy were enjoyed by all. "42" and various other games were played.

Will Hantzel and Mrs. Lewis Pistole received the prize for making the quickest trip to California, making the roundtrip in thirty-five seconds. Mrs. Noakes was presented with a berry spoon which the men paid for. All spent an enjoyable evening, but expressed their regret at losing Mr. and Mrs. Noakes from the community. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Bloomfield, Mr. and Mrs. Iva Kelley Mr. and Mrs. Corney Leech, Mrs. Sam Leech, Mr. and Mrs. John Green, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Leet, Mr. and Mrs. Will Hentzel, Mr. and Mrs. Will Shelman, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Wray, Mr. and Mrs. Lon Leech, Mr. and Mrs. Charley Killam, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Killam, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Pistole, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Florea, Mr. and Mrs. Charley Florea, Clarence Gonser Irvin Shelman Gene Florea, Dennis Leech. Leonard Leech, Harold Leech, Orvil and Orlen Kelley, Nora and Olivia Bloomfield, Thelma Green, Addie Killam, Mary Leech, Kate Curry, Clayton Speer, A. E. Aldrige, Alva and Forest Lett, Leta, Lottie and Harold Hantzel.

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If you are a lover of good books you will not let this opportunity pass without making some selections for the Spring and Summer reading.

Here are a few of the many titles included in this sale:

Breakers Ahead.
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Maggie Pepper.
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The Master Christian.
Prisoners of Chance.
The Pioneer.
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The Fighting Bishop.
The Social Secretary.
Four Roads to Paradise.
The Amateur Cracksman.
By Right of Purchase.
The Phantom of the Opera.
The White Sister.
The Garden of Fate.
A Gentleman of France.
The Redemption of Kenneth Galt.
Peggy at Spinster Farm.
Penelope's Progress.
And many other good titles.

These are now being offered at 35c or Three for One Dollar

We also have one lot of discontinued titles in interesting books that we wish to close out quickly and will offer them during this special book sale, at each..... 10c

White Sale

The Big White Sale, in which the very newest creations in White Goods are offered at a reduction, began this morning. In this sale are sheets, pillow cases, bed spreads, long cloths, nainsooks and dainty white goods of various weaves, muslin underwear, embroidery, laces, white waists, handkerchiefs, stamped work, table linens and various other goods of white. See advertisement in yesterday's paper for special prices

Allen Shupe Burned.

Allen Shupe, the 14-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Shupe was burned on the face and head last night when he started to light the kitchen fire at his home west of town. The boy had used coal oil, and just as he applied the match an explosion occurred. His condition is not serious.

Mrs. McCrary Sells Out.

Mrs. S. F. McCrary has sold her millinery stock to Mrs. Robinson of Iowa, and will leave soon for Chicago, where she will live with her daughter, Mrs. E. A. Rask. Mrs. Robinson is expected to arrive tomorrow to take possession of the store.

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MISCELLANEOUS

NOTICE—Your old carpets and a little money make a valuable new rug. Joseph Cornell. Han. 5264. 20-22*

FOR FOUNDATION WORK, house raising, all kinds of brick, tile or cement work, call Han. 521 or see Frank Reynolds. 15tf.

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Lost.

LOST—Bunch of keys on ring with Presto light key. Return to Democrat-Forum office. Reward. 20-22*

LOST—Sunday between 216 West Second and Christian church; round gold brooch. Return to this office. 19-21*

LOST—Pocketbook with $5 bill, small change and 3 rings. Lost between Graham's store and Empire theatre Leave at this office. Reward. 19-21*

FOR SALE

FOR SALE — Well built modern home at a bargain. 120 East First street. 17-23*

FOR SALE—A sideboard in good condition. Call at M. E. Flats. J. L. Tilson. 21-24

FOR SALE—Home grown clover seed, no buckhorn, $12 bushel. Frank T. Hall, Farmers phone 5-14. 19-21*

FOR SALE—80 acres at a bargain $1,500 first payment, liberal terms for balance. Allen Bros. 20-22

FOR SALE—4 young Jersey cows, good ones. Inquire of Mrs. Minnie Gates, Route 3, Farmers phone 27-17. 20-22*

FOR SALE—Barred Rock eggs, $4.00 per 100, delivered at grocery in Maryville. Mrs. Albert Watson, phone 5-15 19-21*

FOR SALE—Baled alfalfa hay, $18 ton; also nice green prairie hay, $12 ton. J. L. Scott, 3 miles west of Maryville. 19-21*

FOR SALE—Writing desk, dining table, set dining chairs, refrigerator, good as new; electric reading lamp; 3-burner gasoline stove. Mrs. Ed. Signs, Han. 732 or 78. 19-21

S. C. Rhode Island red cockerels. We have 10 very nice young birds for sale. Telephone 5670 Hanamo quick, if you need any new stock. Shoemaker-Bovard Company. 21-23*

FOR SALE OR RENT—D. E. McDonald home on South Main street. See me soon. A. C. Gann, East Fourth street. 20-22

FOR SALE—This week car of flour at Burlington track; Gilt Edge $4.40 per cwt; Gold Leaf $4.30 per cwt. Maryville Feed and Milling Co., 205 West Third. Hanamo phone 116; Farmers 230. 20-22

FOR SALE OR RENT—2½ acres ground, 2 houses, big barn. Also brood sow, household furniture in good condition for sale. Inquire at Corwin-Murrin store or 717 South Vine. Owen Murrin. 20-22*

FOR SALE—24 head draft horses and mares, 3 and 4 years old. Mares in foal; 20 head cows, springers; 260-acre farm if sold before the first of March. Saunders Bros., Hanamo 3698. 16tf.

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WANTED

WANTED—Room for light housekeeping. Call Han. 39. 20-22

WANTED—Small amounts of idle money to loan on real estate. Chas. E. Stilwell, Maryville, Mo. 9-tf

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Grain Market Futures.

Special to The Democrat-Forum.

Kansas City, Feb. 21.— WHEAT — May, $1.77¼; July, $1.47⅞.

CORN—May, 99c; July, 98¼c.

Kansas City Live Stock.

Kansas City, Feb. 21.—CATTLE—Receipts, 5,500; market, higher.

HOGS—Receipts, 17,000; market, higher; top, $12.70.

SHEEP—Receipts, 10,000; market, 10c higher.

Chicago Live Stock.

Chicago, Feb. 21.—CATTLE— Receipts, 15,000; market, 10c higher.

HOGS—Receipts, 38,000; market, 20c higher; top, $12.90.

SHEEP—Receipts, 15,000; market, 10c higher.

St. Joseph Live Stock.

St. Joseph, Feb. 21.—CATTLE—Receipts, 1,500; market, strong.

HOGS—Receipts, 10,000; market, 10c higher; top, $12.90.

SHEEP—Receipts, 3,000; market, strong.

John Owen Murrin will leave tonight for St. Louis where he will resume his school work at St. Louis University. Mr. Murrin was called to Maryville by the death of his mother, Mrs. John Murrin.

Mr. Tire Buyer

The Harkness Trophy Race A Carnival For Goodyear Tires, Sheepshead Bay, Oct. 28th. 100 miles. Won by Aitken in 56 minutes, 37 seconds, at a speed of 105.86 miles per hour
ON GOODYEAR TISES

Galvin second 8 seconds later
ON GOODYEAR TIRES

Wilcox third 25 seconds behind Galvin
ON GOODYEAR TIRES

Henderson fourth
ON GOODYEAR TIRES

Debose fifth
ON GOODYEAR TIRES

Five straight. Does this look good to you. Wouldn't you rather spend your money for a tire that is thoroughly proven. Watch this space Wednesday.

George McMurry
Northeast Corner Square
Buicks Goodyears Supplies

Will Sacrifice

TO CLOSE ESTATE — Property located at the N. W. corner of Fillmore and Halsey streets. Lot 100x125, improved with two story, six room frame house.

S. W. corner of Fifth and Walnut streets; one and one-half story frame building, lot 60x150.

Conception Junction, Mo., one story frame bungalow, 4 rooms, lot 100x150. Will consider any reasonable offer.

KATHERINE DESCHAUER.
956 Webster Ave,
Chicago, Ill.

Switch Board Installed.

Parnell has installed a new Western Electric switch board at their Mutual telephone office. The work was done Saturday afternoon by Joe Davidson of Albany.

Miss Gorins Visits Here.

Miss Mollie Gorins of Corning, Mo., visited Tuesday and Wednesday with her sister, Miss Vera Gorins, who is making her home with Prof. and Mrs. Ira Richardson.

Closing Out Sale

Having sold my farm, I will sell at public auction at my home 5 miles east of Pickering and 2 miles northwest of Orrsburg, on

Wednesday, Feb. 28

beginning at 10 o'clock, the following property—

10 HEAD OF HORSES—One pair bay mares, bred to jack; 1 coming 6-year-old horse; 2 coming 3-year-old geldings; 2 coming 2-year-old geldings; 1 coming 2-year-old filly; 1yearling filly; 1 yearling mule.

51 HEAD OF CATTLE—Seven cows; 32 coming 2-year-old steers; 12coming 2-year-old heifers.

21 HEAD OF HOGS—Twenty-one Chester White gilts, bred for April farrow, all immune.

CORN—1,600 bushels good Yellow Dent.

HAY AND GRAIN—50 tons hay in barn. 200 bushels good seed oats.

IMPLEMENTS—Rock Island hay loader; new Standard mower, 6-foot cut; hay rake; lister; drill; low wheel wagon and other things too numerous to mention.

TERMS—All sums of $10.00 and under, cash; over that amount a credit of 6, 9 or 12 months time will be given on bankable note bearing 8 per cent interest from date. Nothing to be removed until terms of sale are complied with.

LUNCH by Mozingo Valley Ladies Aid.

S. C. Leech

Chas. Evans, Auct. Joseph Jackson, Jr., Clerk.

Ford
THE UNIVERSAL CAR

320,817

Have been built and actually delivered to retail buyers since August 1, 1916

These figures—320,817—represent the actual number of cars manufactured by us since August 1st, 1916, and delivered by our agents to retail buyers.

This unusual fall and winter demand for Ford cars makes it necessary for us to confine the distribution of cars only to those agents who have orders for immediate delivery to retail customers, rather than permit any agent to stock cars in anticipation of later spring sales.

We are issuing this notice to intending buyers that they may protect themselves against delay or disappointment in securing Ford cars. If, therefore, you are planning to purchase a Ford car, we advise you to place your order and take delivery now.

Immediate orders will have prompt attention.

Delay in buying at this time may cause you to wait several months.

Enter your order today for immediate delivery with our authorized Ford agent listed below and don't be disappointed later on

PRICES:
Runabout $345, Touring Car $360, Coupelet $505
Town Car $595, Seden $645, f. o. b. Detroit.

Ford Motor Company

Barmann Auto Company

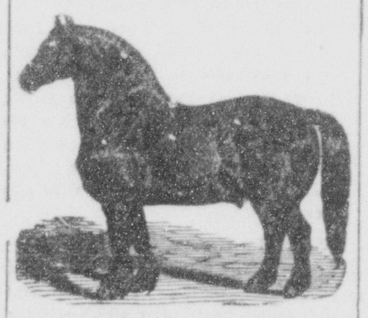
Read Democrat-Forum want ads.

FOR SALE

Non-residents authorize me to sell for immediate possession if wanted a splendid ¼ block of ground, seven-room dwelling and barn, west side. Also seven-room dwelling and one lot close in southwest part. Either are modern, save furnace. Either a special snap if taken immediatel. . I have also a snap in a 200-acre stock farm or a fine 300-acre all purpose farm. Both close in. See me in person. Phone will be out of commission on any of these.

Chas. Hyslop

Horses and Mules WANTED



Will positively be at the

Star Barn
Every Saturday

Will buy draft horses, war horses, and Southern horses and mares. Also want some fat mules, any size and age.

Charles H. Roach

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Worl and daughter, Cleo of Albian, Neb. arrived in Skidmore Saturday morning to visit with Mrs. Worl's mother, Mrs. H. M. Hoagland.

Don't sign your name to an agent's order for nursery stock when you can buy true to name stock near home. State inspected, fully guaranteed direct from the reliable Murray Nurseries of Oregon, Mo., and save agents' commissions.

A reward of $600 has been offered for the recovery of important legal papers stolen one night last week from the Ray county court house.

Maryville
Chautauqua
AUGUST 1-7
Seven Exceptionally Strong Days

Public Cattle Sale

At my farm 2 miles due east of Maryville

Monday, Feb. 26, 1917

84 HEAD OF CATTLE

19 high grade Cows, heavy springers, 6 Angus, balance Shorthorn and Herefords, some fine milkers

9 Coming 3 year old heifers, 1st of April calving

10 Coming 2 year old heifers, 1st of May calving

Black cows and heifer stuff bred to registered Angus bull

16 high class coming 2 year old steers, sired by registered Shorthorn, good ones

29 Coming yearlings, steers and heifers, containing 5 high grade Angus heifers and 3 steers, balance Shorthorns. No better bunch sold this season

All young stuff my own raising, from high grade to full blood cows and registered males

Registered coming 2 year old Angus bull, low down beef type and good

All bred stuff settled in calf

Noon lunch, sale immediately after. If day is bad, plenty room for sale in barn. Usual terms.

R. P. HOSMER, Auct.
S. H. KEMP, Clerk

Elmer Fraser

Closing Out Sale

Having sold my farm, I will sell at public auction at the farm, 4 miles north and 2 miles east of Maryville, commencing at 10 a. m., on

Tuesday, Feb. 27

the following property:

8 Head of Horses and Mules—Consisting of 1 span of 9-year-old mules; 1 span 5-year-old mules; 1 aged mule; 1 bay horse, 8 years old, weight 1700; 1 grade Shetland pony, 8 years old; 1 gray saddle colt, 2 years old.

30 Head of Cows and Heifers—7 with calves at foot, balance springers; 20 head are Angus grades of good size and quality, balance Shorthorns.

A few Hundred Bushels of Corn—25 bushels good yellow seed corn; some hay and oat straw.

Implements—1 3¼ wagon; 1 all-steel truck; 3 sets 1½-inch harness; 1 set single harness; 2 John Deere 14-inch gang plows; 1 Oliver 12-inch brush plow; 2 20-wheel Rock Island discs; 2 Hays corn planters with wire; 1 John Deere 2-row cultivator; 1 surface cultivator; 1 Avery walking cultivator; 1 Champion 7-foot mower; 1 Deere hay loader; 1 Deering corn binder; 1 Deering self-rake; corn sheller; corn chopper; cream separator; 30-gallon iron kettle; feed cooker; set of scale irons; some household articles and other things too numerous to mention.

Terms—$10 and under, cash; all sums on a credit of 3-12 months time on bankable notes drawing 8 per cent interest. No property to be removed until terms are complied with.

Lunch by Myrtle Tree Church.

R. P. HOSMER, Auct.
S. H. KEMP, Clerk.

A. R. Harper